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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Animal Hospital? No, White House

Drew Pearson is en route to report firsthand on the Berlin crisis. His column today is written by his associate, Jack Anderson.

By Jack Anderson

Working late the other night in his bedroom, President Kennedy was jarred from his paperwork by the urgent clamor of the black emergency phone at his bedside.

This phone is supposed to be used only in cases of crisis. He grabbed the receiver in alarm.

"Hello!" he said tersely.

"Is this the animal hospital?" asked a mysterious voice.

"No, this is the White House," said the President.

"Is this South 5-6855?" the voice demanded.

"No," Kennedy repeated, "this is the White House."

"Is Mr. Stevenson there?" the voice asked, still persisting.

"No, this is the President."

The caller hung up, probably in disbelief. But the President of the United States is still wondering how a call to the animal hospital happened to be picked up on his supposedly secure emergency phone.

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Pres Joe Kennedy?

Had it not been for a daring

mission over Germany 17 years ago, the Kennedy in the White House today might answer to the name "Joe" instead of "Jack."

For it was Jack's older brother, Joe, who always dreamed of becoming President. He made no secret of his ambition, and Jack would have stepped aside for him.

But on Aug. 2, 1944, Joe volunteered to fly a plane rigged with high explosives into the Nazi submarine pens on the Belgian coast. He was supposed to bail out just before the plane crashed into the heavily fortified pens. But the plane mysteriously blew up too soon.

"I don't know what I would have done if my brother had lived," Jack has told friends. He has mentioned both journalism and law. But he would have given his brother a clear field in politics.

Boston legend has it that old Joe Kennedy, following Joe Jr.'s death, summoned his second son into his presence and dramatically directed Jack to carry on the family tradition of public service in his fallen brother's place.

"I got Jack into politics," wrote Papa Joe in 1957. "I told him Joe Jr. was dead and therefore it was his responsibility to run for Congress."

It is true that the senior Kennedy helped persuade Jack to enter politics, but the dra-

matic scene in the legend never took place.

JFK's Great Decision

Family intimates say Jack took his time making up his mind about a career. He shrank at first from the blarney and backslapping of Boston politics. But he had a hankering to go to Washington.

When a vacancy occurred in Congress, Jack Kennedy decided to try for it. But it was a full year after his brother's death before he finally made the choice that was to lead him to the White House.

Those close to the President agree that he would never have embarked upon a political career if his brother had survived.

Would Joe Jr. have gone on to the White House? He was a husky, handsome, hail-fellow-well-met with a "hiya" for everyone and a vote-getting Irish grin. He won his first election at 25 as a delegate to the 1940 Democratic convention.

He told family and friends that he hoped to go to the convention some day as a candidate and become the first Catholic President of the United States. But for all his political appeal, he lacked Jack's keen intellect and quiet charm.

Jack grieved over his brother's death, collected essays from Joe's friends and published a private book entitled, "As We Remember Joe."

In his own contribution,

Jack wrote: "I think if the Kennedy children amount to anything, now or ever amount to anything, it will be due more to Joe's behavior and his constant example than to any other factor."

Jack was first attracted to George Smathers, says a family friend, because the Florida Senator reminded Jack of his lost brother.

Meanwhile, it must be left to historians to speculate how much that fateful mission of Aug. 2, 1944, affected history. Copyright, 1961, Bell Syndicate, Inc.

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The Washington Daily News

The Evening Star

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New York Journal-American

New York Mirror

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New York Post

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The Worker

The New Leader

The Wall Street Journal

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8-2-61

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

JUNE

DATE: *March 15, 1957*

FROM : R. R. Roach

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR TECHNICAL SURVEYS
SECRETARY OF LABOR MITCHELL

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At 10:45 a.m. today [redacted] the Secretary of Labor Mitchell, advised the Secretary was greatly concerned with the activities of Dave Beck and James Hoffa of the Teamsters Union and for security reasons requested the FBI to make a check of the telephones in the Secretary's office and at the homes of the Secretary, Special Assistant to the Secretary, and [redacted] to Secretary Mitchell. [redacted] stated that the Bureau had checked the Department of Labor telephones for possible tampering in early 1955, and it would be greatly appreciated if the FBI would make another check of this type. ✓

[redacted] stated that the only persons in Labor aware of this request were the Secretary, himself, and [redacted]. He stated that the Secretary and himself were leaving town today and that any arrangements could be made through [redacted]. If the Bureau desires, the phones in the Secretary's office could be checked today or Monday morning, whichever was convenient; however, the Secretary and his family will not be at home until after Tuesday, February 19, so that the survey there could not be conducted until after that date. The phones at [redacted] residence or at [redacted] could be checked at the convenience of the Bureau.

ACTION:

The Laboratory has advised that, if approved, the necessary arrangements can be made to conduct this survey. If you approve, the arrangements will be made through liaison for the Laboratory to conduct the survey.

WTW: awj (6)

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- 1 - Belmont
1 - Parsons
1 - Millen
1 - section tickler
1 - Whaley

6 APR 10 1957

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: March 25, 1957

FROM : R. L. Miller

JUNE

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
SECRETARY OF LABOR JAMES P. MITCHELL

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Pursuant to a request received from the Secretary of Labor, James P. Mitchell, Supervisors Mayo and Pfafman made a telephone security check from March 18 through 22, 1957, of the telephone lines serving Mr. Mitchell, his administrative assistant, [redacted] and [redacted]. This survey encompassed a physical check of the telephone lines located in the offices and residences of the Secretary, [redacted]. All appearances of the telephone lines serving these individuals were checked between the instruments and the central offices as well as in the central offices.

No evidence of irregularity or tampering was located during the course of this check. However, due to the inaccessibility of the Labor Secretary's private office line, EXecutive 3-4779, the telephone company was requested to place this number on a nonmultiplying cable pair.

At the request of Secretary Mitchell's office staff, it was determined that the telephone extensions in Mr. Mitchell's office appear at six positions on the Labor Department switchboard. However, the private lines in his office, EXecutive 3-4779 and EXecutive 3-8368, do not appear on the switchboard.

The Secretary's office staff indicated the possibility of requesting a recheck of these lines in the near future and inquired as to the time necessary to complete the survey. Although the initial check required several days, a recheck would consume a minimum of four man days.

RECOMMENDATION:

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That the Liaison Section advise the office of the Secretary of Labor of the results of this security check.

1 - Mr. Belmont (attention Mr. Whaley)

GWM:KMB

3 APR 5 1957

John C. Whaley m
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STANDARD FORM NO. 64

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: June 5, 1957

FROM : R. L. Millen

JUNE

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
SENATOR JOHN L. McCLELLAN

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Boardman _____
Belmont _____
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Parsons _____
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Holloman _____
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Pursuant to the request of Senator John L. McClellan, a telephone security check was made in February, 1957, of the Senator's office and residence, and also the office and residence of Robert F. Kennedy, Chief Counsel of the Senate Select Committee on Improper Activities in the Labor or Management Field. At that time it was requested by the Senator that rechecks be made on a periodic basis. Accordingly, a recheck of these telephone instruments and lines was completed on 6-4-57.

No evidence of tampering or irregularities was discovered.

ACTION:

It is recommended that [redacted] advise Senator McClellan of the completion of this security recheck and the results thereof.

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1 - Mr. Rosen, attention Mr. [redacted]

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Senator McClellan

and Robert Kennedy

6 JUN 13 1957

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *J*

DATE: June 14, 1957

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

Tolson _____
 Nichols _____
 Boardman _____
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A security check of the telephone lines of the Director and members of the Executives Conference was completed on 6-12-57. This check encompassed the residential telephone lines in the central offices and all appearances as well as the telephone instruments themselves and the wiring within the homes. No evidence of tampering or other irregularity was discovered.

ACTION:

None, for information.

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 4 *[Signature]*

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STANDARD FORM NO. 64

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. PARSONS *D*

DATE: September 18, 1957

FROM : R. L. MILLEN *RLM*

JUNE

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY SURVEY ON RESIDENCE
AND OFFICE LINES OF ROBERT F. KENNEDY
AND OFFICE LINE OF SENATOR JOHN L. MCCLELLAN,
SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE ON IMPROPER ACTIVITIES
IN THE LABOR AND MANAGEMENT FIELDS

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE SERVICES

Pursuant to a request for a security check on the
above telephone lines received from SA [redacted] on
9/17/57, SA [redacted] and [redacted]
[redacted] made such a survey on 9/18/57.

10/ No existence of tampering on these lines was discovered.
However, it was determined that a foreign tone and considerable
noise existed on ROBERT F. KENNEDY's residence line. It was
further noted that he was receiving false rings. It was learned
through the Laboratory's telephone company contact that trouble
existed in the cable and on the pair serving Mr. KENNEDY's
residence telephone.

At the request of SA [redacted] this trouble was cleared
on a temporary basis on the line and work initiated to clear
the trouble permanently.

Mrs. KENNEDY requested that she be advised when this
trouble is cleared.

ACTION:

Mrs. KENNEDY has been advised of the temporary clearance
of the trouble on the telephone line and will be advised when the
Laboratory's telephone company contact indicates permanent repair
has been effected on the line. *llw*

1 - Mr. Rosen (Attention: [redacted])
62-97308

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JMM:rmp
(4) *rmp*

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4:03 PM

November 19, 1957

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON
MR. PARSONS
MR. NEASE

The Attorney General returned my earlier call to him, and he was advised concerning our security check of his phones. I told him we had checked the outside wire and were now ready to check the inside wires at his office and at his home when convenient to him. The Attorney General indicated the telephone at his home could be checked tomorrow and his office telephone could be checked on Friday. He was advised that our technical man would check with his secretary to secure the exact time convenient to him. The Attorney General further advised that the Telephone Company had advised him that the White House telephone and the unlisted telephone will probably be established tomorrow.

Very truly yours,

(S) J. E. L.

John Edgar Hoover
Director

cc-Mr. Holloman

11-19-57 (8)

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: NOV. 18, 1957

FROM : D. J. PARSONS *D*SUBJECT: SECURITY CHECK FOR
SENATOR CLINTON P. ANDERSON (D., N.M.) *1 2*

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SAC Burton of Albuquerque, New Mexico, phoned and said he had had a phone call this morning from Senator Anderson who was in his office in the Federal Building in Albuquerque. Senator Anderson told Burton that the FBI had made a security check of his office in Washington as a safety precaution against microphone installations. He asked that if possible, a check of his office in Albuquerque be made. Burton said that he made a noncommittal answer but wanted to call the Senator back.

We have made security checks for Senator Anderson both when he was Secretary of Agriculture and more recently of the hearing room of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy of which Anderson is vice-chairman. In view of the fact that Albuquerque has a competent sound-trained Agent and Anderson's office was small enough that it would take very little time to make the security check, I told Burton to go ahead and make the security check for the Senator.

ACTION: None. For information. *D* *✓*1- Mr. Nease *oh.*DJP/mek (3) *mk*

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. TOLSON ✓

DATE: 11/20/57

FROM :

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SUBJECT:

Mr. Parsons asked that you be told that based on arrangements made with Mr. Rogers' Secretary, the Laboratory men will be at his residence at 2:30 this afternoon to check the inside wiring. He stated the phone company cannot yet tell us when the unlisted phone or White House phone will be available but they are following this.

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Belmont _____
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STANDARD FORM NO. 64

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 11-22-57

JUNE

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT:

TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
SECRETARY OF LABOR JAMES P. MITCHELL;
COUNTERMEASURE PROGRAM
(Bufile 62-97308)

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Holloman _____
Gandy _____

By memorandum dated 10-30-57, Mr. Roach advised Mr. Belmont that Secretary of Labor Mitchell had requested a security check be made on the telephone instruments and lines within his offices and residence and the residences of his Secretary and Assistant.

Pursuant to Mr. Hoover's approval, this check was instituted by SA's George W. Mayo, Jr., and [redacted] on 11-12-57. To date, the office telephones and all appearances up to the telephone company central office have been checked. Also, the residential telephones of [redacted] and [redacted] have been checked completely through the central office concerned. No evidence of tampering or irregularity was located.

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Secretary Mitchell is moving from his present residence in the Broadmoor Apartments to a new home. Therefore, the remainder of the telephone security check will be held in abeyance pending the move. Countermeasure devices currently installed in the Secretary's phones at the Broadmoor will be removed and reinstalled at the new residence in conjunction with completion of this check.

ACTION:

None. For information only.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention: Liaison Section)
- 1 - 80-760

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT *h*

FROM : MR. R. R. ROACH *3* JUNE

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
SECRETARY OF LABOR JAMES P. MITCHELL *22*

DATE: October 30, 1957

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Nichols ☒
Boardman ☒
Belmont ☒
Mohr ☒
Parson ☒
Rosen ☒
Tamm ☒
Trotter ☒
Nease ☒
Tele. Room ☒
Holloman ☒
Gandy ☒

From March 18 through 22, 1957, the Bureau, pursuant to a request of Secretary of Labor Mitchell, made a security check of the telephone lines in Mr. Mitchell's Office and those of his administrative assistant and secretary. No evidence of irregularity or tampering was located during the course of this check. At the conclusion of the check, the Secretary's office indicated the possibility of requesting a recheck of these lines in the near future. Our Laboratory estimated that a recheck would require a minimum of four-man days. *11/2/57 12/1/57*

Today, [redacted] Special Assistant to Secretary Mitchell, called Liaison and stated that the Secretary wondered if it would be possible for the Bureau to cause another telephone security check to be made similar to the one made in March, 1957. [redacted] stated that the reason for this recheck is because the Department of Labor is still greatly concerned with the activities of officials in the Teamsters Union and wanted to make sure that their phones are secure. *b6 b7C*

ACTION:

The Laboratory has advised that if approved the necessary arrangements can be made to conduct this survey after the National Academy exercises. If you approve, arrangements will be made through Liaison for the Laboratory to conduct a survey during the week of November 11, 1957.

WTW:jlh

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
 - 1 - Mr. Parsons
 - 1 - Mr. Millen
 - 1 - Liaison Section
 - 1 - Mr. Whaley
- AWB* *GR* *78* *62-973-1-147*

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Harro Millen
to Parsons
11/2/57
GWH:erw

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STANDARD FORM NO. 64

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *[Signature]*

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: SECURITY SURVEY OF TELEPHONE LINES

DATE: 11-27-57

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Attached hereto is a memorandum reporting the results of a telephone security survey of the Attorney General's office and residence telephone lines.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be forwarded to the Attorney General.

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The Attorney General

December 2, 1957

Director, FBI

SECURITY SURVEY OF TELEPHONE LINES

During the course of the past two weeks, technically trained Special Agents of the FBI Laboratory have conducted a security survey of your office and residence telephone lines. The six lines in your office are terminated at seven instruments, while the two lines in your residence are terminated at five instruments. All instruments were opened and thoroughly inspected for proper wiring. The terminal appearances of the lines were checked through five telephone exchange offices and at all other appearances where the possibility of tapping existed.

I am happy to report that no evidence of tampering was detected. Special protection was afforded all critical instruments. In addition, quarterly security checks of your telephone lines will be made in the future.

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See Cover Memorandum to Mr. Parsons from R. L. Millen dated 11-27-57 re SECURITY SURVEY OF TELEPHONE LINES.
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SAC, Springfield (66-189)

December 2, 1957

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Director, FBI (62-97308) - 120

TELEPHONE AND TELETYPE
SECURITY CHECK

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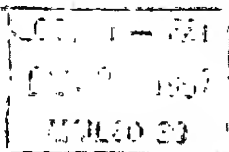
It is believed that, with the facilities outlined in referenced letter, a check of the cable terminals in the field office should be made once each sixty days and the telephone central office equipment examined once each six months.

1 - Mr. Nease (Attention:)

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 11-21-57

FROM : SAC, Springfield (66-189)

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE AND TELETYPES
SECURITY CHECKSSECURITY OF TELEPHONE SERVICES

Re SAC Letter 51, Series 1951.

[redacted] Illinois Bell Telephone Company, on November 20, 1957, advised that all phone cables leading to the FBI Building in Springfield are in an isolated cable and do not appear at any other location. The cables have been given a main frame terminal count #1793 to #1818 inclusive. Teletype service appears on #1813.

[redacted] advised teletype service clears from the cable frame at [redacted] via a tie-cable to their teletype building at [redacted]

Radio telephone service clears by a private tie-line from #1794 and #1795 to an appearance on the 15th floor of the Illinois Building.

Because all cable appearances, with the exception of the radio telephone services, are within our facilities or within telephone company facilities, it would appear that a bi-monthly check of such cable would be adequate and the Bureau is requested to consider the suggestion that bi-monthly inspections would be adequate and is requested to advise Springfield that bi-monthly checks of the services would be satisfactory.

2 - Bureau
1 - Springfield
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| Mr. Boardman | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
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| Mr. Parsons | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. Rosen | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. Tamm | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. Trotter | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. Nease | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Tele. Room | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. Holloman | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Miss Gandy | <input type="checkbox"/> |

November 21, 1957

Mr. Tolson:

The telephone company advised at 9:30 this morning that they were ready to convert the Attorney General's home phone to an unlisted number and that this new number, effective now, is OLiver 4-2939. They also advised that they were ready to install the White House phone which would be done within the hour.

We completed the checking of the wiring inside the house yesterday afternoon and will be with the telephone man this morning.

The telephone company contacted [redacted] and obtained her approval for the installation as indicated above, and advised her of her new telephone number. We have advised [redacted] Mr. Rogers' secretary.

Therefore, all of the telephone work in Mr. Rogers' home will be completed this morning, and we plan in accordance with prior arrangements, to complete the work in Mr. Rogers' office on Friday.

D. J. Parsons

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November 19, 1957

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| Mr. Tolson | ✓ |
| Mr. Nichols | |
| Mr. Boardman | |
| Mr. Belmont | |
| Mr. Mohr | |
| Mr. Parsons | ✓ |
| Mr. Rosen | |
| Mr. Tamm | |
| Mr. Trotter | |
| Mr. Nease | |
| Tele. Room | |
| Mr. Holloman | |
| Miss Gandy | |

Mr. Tolson:

This is a progress report on the telephone work being done for the Attorney General. We completed most of the outside work in tracing the cables yesterday and will be ready to check the phones and wiring inside his office and residence any time after today, whenever it is convenient to him.

We have arranged with the telephone company to change his present home phone to an unlisted number. The phone company will advise us in advance what the phone number will be and when it will be effective. We expect this to be tomorrow morning. We have also been in touch with the White House Signal Agency. They make the request of the telephone company for the White House phone and we are pushing on this in order that the White House phone can be installed at the same time that we make the security check of the wiring inside Rogers' home. This would permit all of our checking and the installation of countermeasures in one visit.

I will keep you advised.

D. J. Parsons

*Spoke to A. G. & Friday
will be OK for his office &
so check with his secretary
as to best time. Wednesday
is OK for his home.*

*see 62-97308-113
for 12-11-57*

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. PARSONS *B*

FROM : R. L. MILLEN *RLM*

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
EXECUTIVE CONFERENCE

DATE: December 4, 1957

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On 12/3/57 SA GEORGE W. MAYO, JR. and SA [] completed a telephone security check on the residential lines of the Director and members of the Executive Conference. This check encompasses an inspection of appearances of the particular telephone lines between residences and the telephone company's central offices as well as the equipment in the central offices. No evidence of tampering or other irregularities was detected.

ACTION:

None. For information only.

WGS:rmp

(5) *W.S.L.*

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November 19, 1957

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON

Security of Telephone Service 9-1

Yesterday I saw Attorney General Rogers and during the course of our discussion he requested that, if possible, the Bureau make arrangements for the installation of a White House telephone in his residence, together with an unlisted telephone. He also asked that we arrange to make the periodic checks of the telephones in his residence, as well as in his office.

Mr. Rogers discussed generally the plans which he had for holding press conferences which he anticipates holding two or three times a month. He intends at such times to present some interesting development in the Department's work to the press.

Mr. Rogers indicated he was desirous of establishing a better press for the Department of Justice and hoped to be able to sell the whole Department through press contacts and through television and other media.

In our discussion I advised him that I would have sent to him a memorandum of the work and the time which the Bureau has given to the preparation of material for the McClellan Committee.

I also told him we would send him a memorandum of the steps we had taken with the Internal Revenue Bureau to bring about inquiries into the income taxes of communist organizations and Communist Party members.

Mr. Rogers stated that he had read in the paper about the meeting of the top hoodlums in a mountain retreat in New York and that he was interested in this matter and at his next press conference in answer to any queries he would state that the FBI was keeping in complete touch with the situation. I have asked for a memorandum to be directed to the Attorney General giving a run-down on each of the persons attending the meeting in New York State.

Mr. Rogers indicated to me that shortly [redacted] Washington correspondent for the New York Times, would be named in the place of [redacted] who will be leaving the Department.

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SENT FROM D. O.
TIME 3:10
DATE 11-19-57

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON

November 19, 1957

He also indicated that Mr. Wilson White would shortly be named as Assistant Attorney General in charge of the new Civil Rights Division.

During the course of the conversation, I advised Mr. Rogers in more detail concerning the background of [redacted] and the fact that he had had not only communist connections but had had intimate relations with [redacted] who was later prosecuted in the courts in the District of Columbia and New York City for espionage.

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Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 12-13-57

FROM : R. L. Millen

JUNE

SUBJECT:

MICROPHONE SECURITY SURVEY
OF OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
(Bufile 62-97308)

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By 12-9-57 letter to the Director transmitted through the Liaison Section [redacted] Security Officer of the Office of the Secretary of Defense, requested that a security survey be made of the office occupied by Neil H. McElroy, Secretary of Defense. The request was approved by Mr. Tolson.

On 12-12-57, SA's R. W. Swartz, [redacted] G. W. Mayo, Jr., and [redacted] conducted a microphone security survey of the above office space, [redacted] No evidence of the existence of clandestine listening devices was detected. At the request of [redacted] the survey included a physical inspection of the most likely places of concealment in the entire room, and a radio frequency check to as high a frequency as possible on the outside (northeast) wall. General radio frequency monitoring also was conducted throughout the duration of the survey.

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RECOMMENDATION:

Inasmuch as the above request was handled initially by the Liaison Section, it is recommended that that Section supply the information concerning completion of this survey to [redacted]

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3 DEC 26 1957

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1 - Mr. Belmont

1 - Mr. Roach

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EX-13

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT

DATE: December 12, 1957

FROM : MR. P. R. ROACH

J U N E

SUBJECT: SECRETARY OF LABOR
JAMES P. MITCHELL
COUNTERMEASURE PROGRAM
(Bufile 62-97308)

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Reference memorandum Mr. Millen to Mr. Parsons November 22, 1957, advising that a security check of the Secretary's offices had been made, but since he was in the process of moving from his residence in the Broadmoor Apartments to a new home, the security check on his residence was being held in abeyance. It was also noted that the countermeasure devices currently installed in his residence would be removed just before he departed the residence.

Today, the Secretary's Office advised Mr. Whaley of the Liaison Section that Secretary Mitchell would move from his apartment on Tuesday, December 17, 1957, and that Mrs. Mitchell would be home at 1:00 P.M. Friday, December 13, so that Bureau agents could handle the telephones. The Secretary's Office also advised that when the move is completed arrangements will again be made through Liaison for our devices to be reinstalled.

The above information has been furnished to the Laboratory Division which will have agents remove the devices from the Secretary's telephones at 1:00 P.M.; December 13, 1957.

ACTION:

Informative.

WTV:jlk

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Parsons
- 1 - Mr. Mayo
- 1 - Liaison Section
- 1 - Mr. Whaley

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Memo Millen to
Parsons 12/26/576 JAN 6 1958
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 12-26-57

JUNE

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: SECRETARY OF LABOR
JAMES P. MITCHELL;
COUNTERMEASURE PROGRAM
(Bufile 62-97308)

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Pursuant to arrangements as outlined in memorandum dated December 12, 1957, Mr. Roach to Mr. Belmont, the countermeasures installed in the telephones at the residence of Secretary of Labor Mitchell in the Broadmoor Apartments were removed on December 13, 1957, by SA's [redacted] and George W. Mayo, Jr. On December 19, 1957, SA's Mayo and [redacted] reinstalled countermeasures in the telephone instruments at the Secretary's new residence, 2347 Forty-ninth Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. *0 Telephones*

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At the same time as countermeasures were installed in the new residence, a security check of the Secretary's telephone lines was made at the new residence and telephone central office serving that area. This completed the check of all telephone lines serving the Secretary both at his home and at his office. No evidence of tampering or irregularities was noted during the course of this check.

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommended that Liaison Section advise Secretary Mitchell of the results of the security check.

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - 80-760

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 1-13-58

FROM : R. L. Millen

JUNE

SUBJECT: MICROPHONE SECURITY SURVEYS
ROOM B-25, U. S. Capitol
House Appropriations Subcommittee

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On 1-11-58, SA's G. W. Mayo, [redacted] and [redacted] conducted a microphone security survey of Room B-25, House Appropriations Subcommittee Hearing Room, at the U. S. Capitol Building. Arrangements were made by Inspector N. P. Callahan. The survey was limited to the most likely places of concealment at the request of [redacted]

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|| No evidence of clandestine listening devices was found.

[redacted] was advised of the results.

ACTION:

For information only.

1 - Mr. N. P. Callahan

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 1-16-58

JUNE

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT:

TELEPHONE SECURITY SURVEY

ON RESIDENCE AND OFFICE LINES OF

SENATOR JOHN L. McCLELLAN AND

ROBERT F. KENNEDY, CHIEF COUNSEL

SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE ON IMPROPER ACTIVITIES

IN LABOR AND MANAGEMENT FIELDS

(Bufile 62-97308)

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Pursuant to the request of Senator John L. McClellan, a telephone security check was made in January, 1958, of the Senator's office and residence and also the office and residence of Robert F. Kennedy, Chief Counsel of captioned committee. At the time the Senator made his original request, he asked that rechecks be made on a periodic basis. Accordingly, a recheck of these telephone lines was completed on January 13, 1958. No evidence of tampering or irregularity was discovered. A total of 3 Agent days was required to complete this check.

ACTION:

It is suggested that [redacted] advise Senator McClellan of this security recheck and the results thereof.

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1 - Mr. Rosen (Attention: [redacted])

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6 JAN 27 1958

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *Telephone* DATE: 1-31-58

FROM : R. L. Millen *Per Security Surveys*

SUBJECT: *SECURE AUDIO VIDEO CABLE*

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The attached paper entitled "Secure Cable/Jacket for Radio/Wire Communications" was furnished on January 24, 1958, to Mr. Swartz of this Section by [redacted] of the Research and Development Section of the Army Signal Corps. [redacted] refers to his paper as a "disclosure of the invention". It has not been patented but has been turned over to "Army Intelligence" for handling. He furnished it to the Bureau as a matter of possible interest and stated that the cable could be easily constructed by use of standard commercial techniques.

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ACTION:

The above is submitted for information and record purposes.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: February 3, 1958

FROM : G. A. Nease

SUBJECT:

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Boardman ☒
Belmont ☒
Mohr ☒
Nease ☒
Parsons ☒
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Gandy ☒

2/3/58

SAC Powers called from New York at 3:57 p.m., advising that Judge Kaufman's secretary called the New York Office advising that the Judge was starting a very important trial involving a narcotics case and that he desired to have his private telephone checked to be sure it is not tapped. Powers stated the agent taking the call advised the secretary that it would be perfectly proper for her to call the telephone company to request this be done, whereupon the secretary stated the FBI had performed this service for the Judge in the past and that was why she was calling. She was then told that a check would be made and she would be called back and advised. Powers stated we did check the Judge's phone in the Rosenberg case but, since he is now entering trial on a narcotics case in which we have no jurisdiction, Powers wondered whether the Bureau would want this done. He stated the New York Office could telephone the office contacts at the New York Telephone Company requesting the Judge's line be checked or we could do it ourselves. Powers does not believe we should go to the phone company as this is something the Judge's secretary could do quite easily herself. Powers was told we would check this matter and call him back.

Since we have given the Judge this service before in a case in which we were involved, it is apparent that he is making his request at this time, not on the basis of any jurisdictional interest we may have in cases he is trying, but in his own personal safety. I recommend, therefore, that we tell Powers to have the New York Office check the Judge's phone even though the case he is concerned about is not one within our jurisdiction.

cc - Mr. Boardman
cc - Mr. Rosen

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FEB 25 1958

CRIME REC.

6:55 P.M. 2/3/58
ASAC SIMON
ADVISED TO HANDLE

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55 FEB 28 1958

The Attorney General

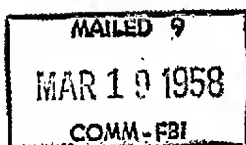
3-19-58

Director, FBI

TELEPHONE FACILITIES

As a matter of information, I thought you would be interested to know that on 3-18-58 FBI Laboratory technicians completed a security check of your office and residence telephone lines at those points in the city where tampering could be executed most readily. There was no evidence of any irregularities.

I shall be happy to advise you of the results of periodic security inspections made of your telephone facilities in the future.



NOTE: This letter has been classified ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ because of the nature of the work done.

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MAR 20 1958

Cover Memorandum Parsons from Millen dated 3-18-58 re **TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK ATTORNEY GENERAL, DIRECTOR AND THE MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE.** WGS:ctw

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 3-18-58

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
ATTORNEY GENERAL, DIRECTOR AND
THE MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

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On 3-18-58, SA Robert A. Miller and SA [REDACTED] completed a telephone security check on the telephone lines of the Attorney General, the Director and members of the Executives Conference. This check encompasses an inspection of the appearances of the particular telephone lines outside the residences and the telephone company's central offices. No evidence of tampering or other irregularities was noted.

As you will recall, the Executives Conference security check is in three phases:

1. On a quarterly basis, all appearances of each telephone line supplying service between the central office and the residences are examined.
2. On a semiannual basis, all central office appearances of every telephone line are examined on telephone company premises. In addition, all outside appearances are again checked.
3. On an annual basis, all telephone instruments in the residences of persons included in this check are examined. In addition, all outside appearances and central office appearances are rechecked.

The same policy as followed for the Executives Conferences residential telephone lines is being followed for both the residence and office telephone lines of the Attorney General.

RECOMMENDATION:

That attached memorandum from the Director be forwarded to the Attorney General for his use if he so desires.

58 MAR 26 1958

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6 MAR 24 1958

The above memorandum is for information only.

Enclosure *sent*
WGS:ctw 3-19-58
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~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

The Attorney General

June 3, 1958

Director, FBI

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~~SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES~~

For your information, on June 2, 1958, FBI Laboratory technicians completed a security check of your office and residential telephone lines. This check included an inspection of all appearances both inside and outside of telephone company central offices where access might be had to your telephone lines. No evidence of tampering or irregularity was apparent.

I will keep you advised of the results of any subsequent inspection.

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1 - 80-760 (COUNTERMEASURE INSTALLATIONS)

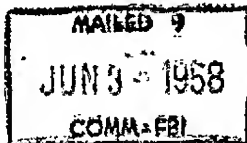
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See Cover Memorandum to Mr. Parsons from R. L. Millen dated 6-2-58 re TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, ATTORNEY GENERAL. GWM:ctw

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 6-2-58

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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On May 23, 26 and June 2, 1958, a telephone security check was made on the telephone lines serving the office and residence of the Attorney General. This security check included an inspection of all appearances of the particular telephone lines both inside and outside the telephone company central offices. No evidence of tampering or other irregularity was apparent.

In addition, the telephones within the Attorney General's office were inspected. It was noted that two telephone instruments had been replaced. Accordingly, appropriate countermeasure switches were immediately installed in these two instruments.

RECOMMENDATION:

There is attached, for the Director's use if he so desires, a memorandum to the Attorney General setting forth the results of the telephone security check.

Enclosure *sent 6-3-58*
 1 - 80-760 (COUNTERMEASURE INSTALLATIONS)

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *A*

DATE: 6-13-58

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK—
DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

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On June 10, 1958, Laboratory Supervisors G. W. Mayo and completed telephone security check on the residential telephone lines of the Director and members of the Executives Conference. This check encompassed an examination of appearances of the particular telephone lines both inside and outside of telephone company central offices as well as an inspection of the telephone instruments and wiring within the residence itself.

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No evidence of tampering or irregularity was noted during the course of this security survey.

ACTION:

None. For information only.

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June 10, 1958

PROPOSED CHANGE IN
MANUAL OF RULES AND REGULATIONS

Part II, Section 3, Subsection A, of the Manual of Rules and Regulations, should be amended to read as follows:

12. Security checks of all office telephone and teletype lines shall be made by a sound-trained Agent at the intervals indicated to determine whether any effort is being made to intercept Bureau messages:
- a. Quarterly at the field office city.
 - b. Annually at Resident Agencies occupying federal or commercial building space (as distinguished from private residences).

If the telephone company is reluctant to permit examination of the lines on company premises, the discretion of the SAC will prevail as to whether to insist on such examination.

NOT RECORDED

See cover memo Mr. Millen to Mr. Parsons, dated 6/10/58,
RE: Security Checks of Field Office and Resident Agency
Telephone and Teletype Lines. JMM:nll

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Approved by Executives Conference 6/18/58, present
Tolson, Tamm, Rosen, Sizoo, Clayton, Trotter, Callahan,
and Parsons.

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W. G. Sullivan

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *B*

DATE: June 24, 1958

FROM : R. L. Miller *RLM*

SUBJECT: SECURITY DEVICES LABORATORY;
HARRY A. MILLER COMPANY;
SARGENT AND GREENLEAF COMPANY

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On 6-9-58 SA's [redacted] R. W. Swartz, [redacted] and [redacted] witnessed demonstrations of several items of security survey equipment manufactured by Security Devices Laboratory (SDL), a division of Harry A. Miller Company (subsidiary of Sargent and Greenleaf (Lock) Company of which Miller is president). SDL is located on Route 3, Chichester Lane, Fairfax, Virginia. President is [redacted]. Two technicians working at SDL are [redacted]. The following items were demonstrated:

1. Miniature Audio Amplifier, Model AA1
2. Clamp-On Audio Transformer, Model 4550
3. Flat Induction Coil, Model 4582
4. Miniature Magnetic Contact Microphone, Model M1
5. Tube Microphone, Model 4570
6. RF (radio frequency) Detector

None of the above items was outstanding in its performance. Some did not function as well as competitive items made by other companies.

Also demonstrated in prototype form were:

1. A "Wire Interrogator" which is supposed to be an aid in determining if a microphone is attached to one end of a questionable pair of wires. This unit performs no function which cannot already be performed with presently available equipment.
2. A "Microphone Jammer" which is supposed to make it impossible for a microphone to pick up a signal within a room. The unit did not completely jam a carbon microphone signal.

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1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention: [redacted])
1 - 105-19581

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Memorandum to Mr. Parsons
RE: Security Devices Laboratory;
Harry A. Miller Company;
Sargent and Greenleaf Company

In its present state of design it can be compromised by appropriate "counter" design and equipment. Further development of this unit will be followed.

A so-called "Microphone Detector," intended to take advantage of the resonant frequency of microphones, is under design at the Laboratory. It does not appear that this unit will perform as expected by the company. However, development will be followed.

A "Transistorized Photo-Cell Probe" is still in the planning stage. It is hoped that this unit will permit detection of a modulated light beam (visible or infrared) by means of which a voice signal within a room is being overheard by unauthorized persons outside the room. Development will be followed.

It is of interest to note that State Department security officers have been "talking up" all of the first six items as being exceptionally good and having been designed by SDL at the request of the State Department. Such was claimed by State in a proposed annual report to the NSC Special Committee. As a matter of fact, State Department does not have proprietary right to any of the above items, all of them having been developed by SDL at their own expense.

SDL does not have a grasp of the fundamental problems involved in microphone and radio frequency detecting equipment. It lacks the technical equipment and qualified personnel to do a good job. Fundamental performance of SDL products in no instance exceeded that of similar equipment which has been available for years.

Of particular importance is the fact that employees of SDL were most indiscreet. They volunteered information as to the names of other Government agencies and of individuals in those agencies for whom they had developed and were developing equipment. They were very strongly cautioned as to the confidential nature of the Bureau's inquiry. The Bureau should be most circumspect in any future dealings with SDL.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information only.

PERSONAL
NO. NUMBER SAC LETTER 58-K



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

June 23, 1958

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

RE: SECURITY CHECK OF TELEPHONE SERVICES
AND TELETYPE LINES

SAC Letter Number 51, dated 5-22-51, established the requirement that a monthly check be made of the field office telephone and teletype lines to make certain that no attempt is being made to tamper with these lines. There is no existing provision for checking these lines at Resident Agency offices.

Effective immediately, a sound-trained Agent shall make security checks of telephone and teletype lines in the following instances.

1. On a quarterly basis at the field office city.
2. On an annual basis at Resident Agencies where offices are located in Government or commercial buildings, as distinguished from private residences.

Care should be exercised so that a pattern is not established as to the exact day of the checks. As provided in SAC Letter Number 80, Section G, dated 8-10-51, if the telephone company is reluctant to permit examination of the lines on company premises, the discretion of the SAC will prevail as to whether to insist on such examination. While a determined effort must be made to make the checks at all locations, cooperation with the company in other matters is not to be jeopardized. These checks are to be made at all terminal appearances of the lines and at any other necessary locations regardless of the type of cable used between the company exchange and field office or Resident Agency quarters.

The quarterly check should provide adequate security for field office lines at this time. The annual check at Resident Agencies is not only a necessary precaution but is an excellent means of maintaining contact with plant officials of the telephone companies located in smaller cities of your field division.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover

Director

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 6/26/58

FROM : SAC, Indianapolis (66-1305)

SUBJECT: SECURITY OF OFFICE
TELEPHONES AND TELETYPE
INDIANAPOLIS OFFICE
SECURITY SURVEYS

On 6/19/58 the appropriate security checks of office telephone and teletype, including the SAC's phone, were made; and the lines were found to be free of any foreign equipment.

No reply required.

2 - Bureau (RM)
1 - Indianapolis

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: July 10, 1958

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: SECURITY CHECK OF TELEPHONE SURVEYS
AND TELETYPE LINES AT BUREAU'S
RELOCATION SITE

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Reference is made to No Number SAC Letter 58K dated 6-23-58 instructing that security surveys be made of field office telephone and teletype lines quarterly and of Resident Agency lines annually.

The lines at the Bureau's relocation site will be checked on an annual basis by SA Supervisors of the Electronics Section of the Laboratory. This particular security survey will be coordinated with those conducted by sound-trained Agents of the Richmond Office so as to avoid duplication of effort at telephone company exchanges.

ACTION:

Relocation site telephone and teletype lines will be checked annually to make certain no effort is being made to intercept Bureau messages.

- 1 - Mr. Tamm (Attention: Mr. Sloan)
1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention:)

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont *ah*

DATE: July 7, 1958

FROM : R. R. Roach *R*

JUNE

SUBJECT:

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Surveys

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Today, Chief Investigator and Security Officer, Federal Maritime Board, called Liaison and stated that he had just been asked by to have a security check made on his telephone and those of three members of the Board; namely, and stated that the reason for the request was twofold because of the information in today's paper that room had been "bugged," and that believed that information might be leaking out of the Maritime Administration.

is a former Bureau Agent and an excellent liaison contact. He stated that he would certainly appreciate it if we could cause a discreet check to be made on the telephones at the offices of the above in the General Accounting Office. He stated that each office maintains two telephone lines.

A check with the Laboratory Division reflects that the above check could be made at this time, and that it would take approximately one complete day to finish the job.

RECOMMENDATION:

In view of our cordial relations with and since this security check could be done at this time, it is recommended that Liaison make the necessary arrangements to have this check made at the convenience of the Laboratory Division.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Parsons
- 1 - Mr. Mayo
- 1 - Liaison Section
- 1 - Mr. Whaley

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *J*

DATE: 7-14-58

FROM : R. L. Millen *Rem*

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SUBJECT: *0* TELEPHONE SECURITY SURVEYS FOR
FEDERAL MARITIME BOARD
(Bufile 62-97308)

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Re 7-7-58 memorandum to Mr. Belmont from Mr. Roach setting forth a request by [redacted] (a former Special Agent), Chief Investigator and Security Officer, Federal Maritime Board, for a security check of the telephone lines of the members of the Maritime Board. This request was approved by the Director.

On 7-11-58, SA [redacted] and [redacted] completed a check of eleven telephone lines serving the offices of [redacted] and Board Members [redacted] and [redacted]. No evidence of tampering on these lines was discovered.

[redacted] at his request, was advised of the completion and results of this survey.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information only.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Roach (Attention: Mr. Whaley)
- 1 - Mr. Parsons

JMM:ctw

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: July 22, 1958

FROM : R. R. Roach

SUBJECT: FRED A. SEATON
SECRETARY
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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Boardman _____
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On July 21, 1958, [redacted] Security Officer, Department of the Interior, called Liaison and stated that he had been asked by Secretary Seaton to determine if the FBI would cause a security check to be made on the telephones in his office. Secretary Seaton advised that he was requesting this security check because of the current critical world situation and wanted to make sure his telephones were clear.

Our relations with the Department of the Interior are excellent at this time and Secretary Seaton is considered to be a good friend of the Bureau. He has two telephones in his office and a White House phone.

A check with the Laboratory Division reflects that the above check could be made at this time, and that it would take approximately three days to finish the job.

RECOMMENDATION:

In view of our excellent relations with Secretary Seaton and the Department of the Interior and since this security check could be made at this time, it is recommended that Liaison make the necessary arrangements to have this check made at the convenience of the Laboratory Division.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Roach
- 1 - Mr. Parsons
- 1 - Mr. Matter
- 1 - Mr. Whaley
- 1 - Liaison Section

WTW:bdw

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O TELEPHONE SECURITY 55 AUG 13 1958

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Fleming from at 4:10
+ Tamm, Sub. Rose.
checked 7-22-58
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Security Check
Completed 7/29/58

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that check completed & no
evidence of tampering was

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 8-14-58

FROM : R. L. Millen

JUNE

SUBJECT:

TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
SECRETARY OF LABOR JAMES P. MITCHELL

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Reference is made to 8-8-58 memorandum of R. R. Roach to A. H. Belmont captioned as above advising that [redacted] Executive Assistant to Secretary of Labor Mitchell, had requested the FBI to check the Secretary's private office phone.

Special Agents R. F. Pfafman and [redacted] made the security check on 8-13-58 and found no indication of any tampering. All five instruments, all cables, and all terminations of the private line were checked within the office, the Labor Department Building, and the telephone company exchange.

ACTION:

Liaison should inform Secretary's office that requested check of private line was made 8-13-58 and entire line was found free of any indication of tampering.

1 - Mr. Belmont

RFP:ctw

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*Secy's office
advised 8-18-58.
no confirmation
being made, per
R.F. Pfafman
Laboratory, due
to highly sensitive
nature of info
and work involved*

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: August 8, 1958

FROM : R. R. Roach

JUNE

SUBJECT:

TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
SECRETARY OF LABOR,
JAMES P. MITCHELL

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On August 7, [redacted] Executive Assistant to Secretary of Labor Mitchell, mentioned to Messrs. Fields and Whaley of the Liaison Section that Secretary Mitchell was again concerned with the security of his private telephone. [redacted] stated that recently Secretary Mitchell picked up the private phone in his office and heard several clicks and requested Wallace to check with the FBI to see if we could make a security check of this one private line. [redacted] said that we have checked the Secretary's phones in December of last year and found no evidence of tampering; however, in view of the Secretary's concern, especially since Hoffa is again testifying before a congressional committee, he would appreciate it if we could check his private phone sometime next week.

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b7CACTION:

The Laboratory has advised that, if approved, the necessary arrangements can be made to conduct this security check, and it will take approximately one day. If you approve, arrangements will be made through Liaison for the Laboratory to conduct this check.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Parsons
- 1 - Mr. Pfafman
- 1 - Liaison Section
- 1 - Mr. Whaley

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 8-27-58

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM**11/1/58*
SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF THE
EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

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On August 26, 1958, Laboratory Supervisors George W. Mayo, Jr., and [] completed a security check of the outside appearances of the residential telephone lines of the Director and members of the Executives Conference. No evidence of tampering or other irregularities was found.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information only.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: August 19, 1958

FROM : J. Walter Yeagley
Acting Assistant Attorney General
Internal Security Division

SUBJECT: SECURITY CHECKS OF ENUMERATED DEPARTMENTAL OFFICES

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| Mr. Tolson | ✓ |
| Mr. Belmont | ✓ |
| Mr. Mohr | ✓ |
| Mr. Nease | ✓ |
| Mr. Parsons | ✓ |
| Mr. Rosen | ✓ |
| Mr. Tamm | ✓ |
| Mr. Trotter | ✓ |
| Mr. W.C. Sullivan | ✓ |
| Tele. Room | ✓ |
| Mr. Holloman | ✓ |
| Miss Gandy | ✓ |

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On August 7, the National Security Council was briefed by [redacted] on the annual report on technical surveillance countermeasures. When [redacted] was debriefing the NSC Planning Board, he noted a comment of the President concerning the security of the Cabinet Room and the telephone therein and raised with the members of the Planning Board the question of how recently their own offices and phones, as well as those of their principal had received a security check since matters relating to the National Security Council were discussed in these offices. I advised the Attorney General of [redacted] observation and he stated that the Bureau periodically checked his Office. However, he indicated that he felt it desirable to have a security check made of the offices of Deputy Attorney General Walsh and [redacted] Executive Assistant to the Attorney General, as well as those offices in the Internal Security Division in which material relating to the National Security Council and its subordinate bodies are discussed.

Accordingly, it is requested that you make security checks of the following offices:

Deputy Attorney General Walsh
Harold H. Healy, Executive Assistant
J. Walter Yeagley
John F. Doherty

Rooms 4101-4109
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3519-3525
3531-3533
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Mr. J. Walter Yeagley
Acting Assistant Attorney General
Internal Security Division

August 22, 1958

Director, FBI

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**SECURITY CHECKS OF
SEVERAL DEPARTMENTAL OFFICES**

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Reference is made to your memorandum of August 19, 1958, requesting the FBI to make a security check of a number of offices in the Department.

The problem of the security of space in the Justice Department building is a part of the much larger over-all problem of general security of sensitive government space. While it is true that in an effort to be of as much assistance as possible, this Bureau does on occasion perform security checks of the Attorney General's office, the Bureau cannot undertake an expanded program of such service because of the severe adverse effect on our own heavy workload.

In this regard, it is noted that in connection with a somewhat related problem involving security of government telephone service, by memorandum from the Deputy Attorney General under date of June 13, 1955, a copy of which was designated for you as Chairman of the Interdepartmental Committee on Internal Security, this Bureau was advised that "It is my understanding that the General Services Administration which furnishes the buildings occupied by most government agencies also has the responsibility for furnishing adequate telephone communications and for the security of such telephone lines." A representative of General Services Administration subsequently advised this Bureau that the problem of telephone security had been referred to the Office of Security and Compliance of General Services Administration for handling.

Accordingly, since the Justice Department building is among those buildings under the general supervision of the General Services Administration, it is suggested that you may wish to refer your request to that agency for possible assistance.

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Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

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NOTE: Cover memo DJ Parsons to Mr. Tolson, 8-21-58 (IWC:mn) captioned Request of Department for Security Checks of Several Departmental Offices, prepared in connection with this outgoing letter.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *J*

DATE: 8-27-58

JUNE

FROM : R. L. Miller *RLM*

SUBJECT:

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TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE
IMPROPER ACTIVITIES IN LABOR-MANAGEMENT
RELATIONS
(Bufile 62-97308)

Tolson ☒
Belmont ☒
Mohr ☒
Nease ☒
Parsons ☒
Rosen ☒
Tamm ☒
Trotter ☒
W.C. Sullivan ☒
Tele. Room ☒
Holloman ☒
Gandy ☒

Pursuant to the request of Senator John L. ~~McClellan~~, periodic security check is made of the Senator's office and residential telephone lines and of the Committee's Chief Counsel, Mr. Robert E. ~~Kennedy~~.

On 8-26-58, Supervisors George W. Mayo, Jr., and completed security check of all outside appearances of the residential telephone lines of Senator McClellan and Mr. Kennedy. No evidence of irregularity or tampering was found.

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It is noted that the residential and office phones of Senator McClellan as well as all central office terminations of these lines were checked in June, 1958, at which time no evidence of irregularity was located. Since the phones at the Kennedy residence were being modified at that time, Mr. Kennedy's telephone instruments were checked in connection with this most recent survey. It was noted that telephone instruments in the Kennedy residence which had been previously covered by countermeasures had been substituted for a new instrument. Accordingly, countermeasures were installed at this time in the new instrument.

RECOMMENDATION:

That advise Senator McClellan of the completion of this telephone security check and the results thereof.

1 - Mr. Rosen (Attention:)

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23 SEP 4 1958

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *A*

DATE: 9-3-58

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

JUNE

SUBJECT: *0* TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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| W.C. Sullivan | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Tele. Room | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Holloman | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Gandy | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

On August 26, 1958, Laboratory Supervisors George W. Mayo, Jr. and completed a security check on the outside appearances of the telephones at the residence of the Attorney General. No evidence of tampering or other irregularity was apparent. Readily accessible appearances of the Attorney General's Office telephone lines are inspected once a month. This check has also been completed with identical results.

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b7CRECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the results of the above security check be made a matter of record.

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55 SEP 10 1958

Date: 9/9/58

To: Director, FBI

From: Legat, Mexico (66-415)

Subject: SECURITY SURVEY
LEGAL ATTACHE'S OFFICE, MEXICO D. F.

Remylet to Bureau dated 6/26/58, captioned as above.

Electrical wiring, outlet and telephone communication facilities of Legat's Office and residences of personnel of Legat's Office are continued to be checked on a periodic basis with Security Kit, Model SU 105. To date, the checks have given negative results.

The security survey is being continued, and the Bureau will be kept advised as to the results.

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1 - Mexico City
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *J*

DATE: December 4, 1958

FROM : R. L. Miller *RLM* JUNE

SUBJECT:

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TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF THE
EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

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 Tamm _____
 Trotter _____
 W.C. Sullivan _____
 Tele. Room _____
 Holloman _____
 Gandy _____

On December 3, 1958, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED] completed a telephone security check
 on the telephone lines of the Director and members of the Executives
 Conference. No evidence of tampering or other irregularities was noted.

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RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information only.

WGS:nll

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DATE 04-13-2011

The Attorney General

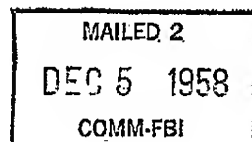
December 5, 1958

Director, FBI

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

For your information, on December 4, 1958, an FBI Laboratory technician completed a security check of your office and residential telephone lines. This check included an inspection of all appearances both inside and outside of telephone company central offices where access might be had to your telephone lines. No evidence of tampering or irregularity was apparent.

I will keep you advised of the results of any subsequent inspection.



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FBI

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7-12-58

See Cover Memorandum to Mr. Parsons from R. L. Millen dated 12-4-58 re TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, ATTORNEY GENERAL. WGS:nll

This letter has been classified ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ because of the nature of the work.

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Belmont _____
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Parsons _____
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Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

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MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *q*

DATE: December 4, 1958

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

JUNE

SUBJECT:

TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE
IMPROPER ACTIVITIES IN LABOR-MANAGEMENT
RELATIONS
 (Bufile 62-97308)

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 Rosen *✓* _____
 Tamm _____
 Trotter _____
 W.C. Sullivan _____
 Tele. Room _____
 Holloman _____
 Gandy _____

Pursuant to the request of Senator John L. McClellan, periodic security check is made of the office and residential telephone lines of Senator McClellan and of the Committee's Chief Counsel, Mr. Robert F. Kennedy.

On 12-3-58, [redacted] completed security check of all outside appearances of the residential telephone lines of Senator McClellan and Mr. Kennedy. No evidence of irregularity or tampering was found.

At this time also, a check was made of a telephone and extension in a room in the Capitol Building assigned to Senator McClellan specifically extension 5700 on the Capitol switchboard, as well as the instruments in Senator McClellan's office 137A in the Senate Office Building.

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RECOMMENDATION:

That [redacted] advise Senator McClellan of the completion of this telephone security check and the results thereof.

WGS:nll *see*

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1 - Mr. Rosen (Attention: [redacted])

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *P*

DATE: 12-4-58

FROM : R. L. Miller *RLM*

SUBJECT:

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TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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 Mohr _____
 Nease _____
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 Tamm _____
 Trotter _____
 W.C. Sullivan _____
 Tele. Room _____
 Holloman _____
 Gandy _____

On December 4, 1958, a telephone security check was made on the telephone lines serving the office and residence of the Attorney General. This security check included an inspection of all appearances of the particular telephone lines both inside and outside the telephone company central offices. No evidence of tampering or other irregularity was apparent.

In addition, the telephones within the Attorney General's office and his residence were inspected.

RECOMMENDATION:

There is attached, for the Director's use if he so desires, a memorandum to the Attorney General setting forth the results of the telephone security check.

Enclosure *sent 12-5-58*WGS:nll *WGS*

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *J*

DATE: 12-15-58

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE EXTENSION 444

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 Trotter _____
 W.C. Sullivan _____
 Tele. Room _____
 Holloman _____
 Gandy _____

Please refer to Mr. Holloman's 5:00 P. M., 12-12-58 note to the Director concerning difficulties experienced on Extension 444. Mr. Holloman indicated that: (1) arrangements were made for the telephone company to recheck the lines and iron out the difficulty and (2) the Laboratory was advised to conduct a security check on the phone line. The Director requested that the difficulties be looked into promptly.

The Laboratory reports that a telephone security check was promptly instituted at 5:44 P. M., 12-12-58. All possible points of access where irregularities or tapping could occur were carefully examined. Completion of the check has determined that from a security standpoint there was no evidence of tampering.

As a matter of general information, you will recall that there is an unusual amount of telephone company activity presently going on within the Department of Justice Building while the Department's telephone system is being converted to dial equipment. It is observed that during this change-over from one system to another many lines will be disconnected momentarily and reconnected in the process. I note that the telephone people worked within the building again Saturday. They did not work Sunday; however, their work will begin again Monday.

ACTION:

For information.

- 1 - Mr. Holloman
- 1 - Mr. Nease

RLM:ctw
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0 TELETYPE UNIT 12-15-58

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: February 3, 1959

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT:

MICROPHONE SECURITY SURVEY
OF HEARING ROOM OF HOUSE
APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

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Boardman _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Nease _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

DeLoach _____
McGuire _____
V.C. Sullivan _____

In accordance with arrangements made by Inspector N. P. Callahan, on 1-30-59, SA's [redacted] and [redacted] made a microphone security survey of the House Appropriations Committee Hearing Room for the Justice Department in the Capitol Building. Committee [redacted] (a former SA) requested the check due to the fact that the Director is to appear before the Appropriations Committee on 2-5-59. At [redacted] request the survey was limited to the most likely places of concealment. No evidence of any clandestine listening devices was detected.

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Mr. Callahan and [redacted] were present throughout the check and were advised of the results.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information only.

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OK. Always follow rule
of not making such
checks unless specifically
requested by Committee to
staff.

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FEB 17 1959

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: January 30, 1959

FROM : R. R. Roach

SUBJECT: SENATOR CLINTON P. ANDERSON
DEMOCRAT, NEW MEXICO

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In accordance with approval in my memorandum of January 28, 1959, and by arrangements worked out by Liaison with [redacted] of the Staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, Special Agents [redacted] and [redacted] of the Laboratory made a security check of the residence telephone of Senator Anderson on the morning of January 30, 1959.

[redacted] was advised by Liaison at 2:45 p.m. on January 30, 1959, that our check of telephone exchange terminals, connection wires, and the telephone instrument in Anderson's home, reflected no evidence of any foreign attachments or any recent changes in the telephone service indicating tampering. [redacted] said he was personally very grateful for the prompt attention given by the Bureau to the Senator's request for the check. He said he would advise Anderson promptly of the results and he knew Anderson would also be relieved and grateful. [redacted] added that the whole matter would continue to be held in strictest confidence.

Senator Anderson and [redacted] were the only persons present while the Agents were checking inside the Anderson's home. The Andersons were very gracious and appreciative of the attention the Bureau gave to their concern over the security of their telephone. Senator Anderson expressed an extremely high regard for the Bureau. He also mentioned that he has a son-in-law who was formerly a Bureau Agent in Albuquerque and San Francisco. Anderson added that his son-in-law has told him that he was very fond of his work while in the Bureau and that he found the Bureau people to be of high caliber. Anderson remarked that his son-in-law is now employed handling Anderson's business interests in New Mexico.

It should be noted that in contacting the telephone company during our check of Anderson's telephone, it was learned that the company had only recently corrected some cable trouble in that area caused by moisture getting into the cable. This condition resulted in noises on various lines which apparently gave rise to Anderson's concern that his line might be tapped. Further while dealing with the

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1-Mr. Belmont
1-Mr. DeLoach
1-Mr. Parsons
1-Liaison Section
1-Mr. Fitzgerald

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* Ben Lamone Roberts

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sent to [redacted]
2-19-59

Memorandum Roach to Belmont
RE: SENATOR CLINTON D. ANDERSON
DEMOCRAT, NEW MEXICO

telephone company, the Agents arranged for periodic checks to be made by the Company of the terminals at the Central office connected with Anderson's line. To preserve our sensitive relationship with the telephone company, this information concerning the cable trouble and the arrangements for checking the terminals was not passed on to Conway.

Roberts, a veteran, entered on duty June 11, 1951, as a Special Agent. He married Nancy Anderson in 1952. He resigned May 28, 1954, to accept employment in private industry in Albuquerque, New Mexico. At the time of resignation, he was in GS-11. He was rated satisfactory on his final performance rating. (67-447507)

ACTION:

For information. ✓

Ans. Roach

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: January 28, 1959

FROM : Mr. R. R. Roach

SUBJECT: SENATOR CLINTON P. ANDERSON
DEMOCRAT, NEW MEXICO

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At 10:00 a.m. on January 28, 1959, John T. Conway, former Agent, now Assistant Director of Staff of Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, called Liaison at the request of Senator Anderson who is desirous of having the Bureau make a check of his home telephone to see whether it is secure. Conway said that Anderson had advised him that he believes his home telephone may be tapped and that although the Senator is aware that the Atomic Energy Commission and the Central Intelligence Agency have technical people who could perform this security check for him, he, the Senator, is not keen on having either of these agencies do it.

Conway pointed out that Senator Anderson was the Vice Chairman of the Joint Committee during the last session of Congress and undoubtedly will be Chairman of the Committee as soon as it is organized during the current session. He added that the Senator lives at 6 Wesley Circle, Northwest, Washington, D. C. Conway remarked that naturally the Senator is anxious to have this security check performed on a most discreet basis. He remarked that Senator Anderson discussed this matter on a very confidential basis and that no one else on the Joint Committee Staff is aware of it except the Senator's private secretary.

This matter has been discussed with the Laboratory which agrees that it will be to the Bureau's interest to perform the check desired by Anderson.

ACTION:

(1) If approved, the Laboratory will take immediate steps to perform the security check desired by Senator Anderson.

(2) Upon approval of the action above, Conway will be telephonically advised that the Bureau will handle and necessary arrangements will be worked out. At the same time it will be impressed on Conway that from our standpoint, we desire that our action in the matter be treated on a very confidential basis and be closely held by him and the Senator.

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1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Nease
1 - Mr. Parsons
1 - Liaison Section
1 - Mr. Fitzgerald

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SAC, San Francisco (66-1743)

2-19-59

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Director, FBI (62-97308) - 160

**SECURITY CHECKS OF TELEPHONE LINES
STREAMLINING COMMITTEE - SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION**

Reurlet 2-6-59 suggesting that there appears to have been omitted from the Manual of Rules and Regulations, Part II, Section 3, page 2, Subsection 12, the requirement that the residence telephones of the Special Agent in Charge (SAC) and the Assistant Special Agent in Charge (ASAC) be checked quarterly when the field office lines are surveyed.

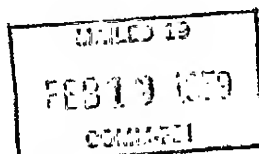
There has been no general requirement in the past that the residence telephone lines of the SAC and ASAC be checked regularly by all field offices. However, in a few instances, some offices have made such checks as a security precaution where deemed advisable. Not all offices will encounter the same security problem with regard to the SAC and ASAC. Therefore, it is not believed necessary that a general regulation be made affecting all offices.

Should the San Francisco Office consider the quarterly survey of the SAC's and ASAC's residence lines desirable from the security standpoint, such practice may be continued. The time consumed by such a check should be held to a reasonable minimum.

1 - Mr. Tamm

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: February 6, 1959

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (66-1748)

SUBJECT: SECURITY CHECKS OF TELEPHONE LINES
STREAMLINING COMMITTEE - SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

SERVICES

ATTN: TRAINING & INSPECTION
DIVISIONRe Manual of Rules and Regulations, Part II,
Section 3, page 2, subsection 12.

It is desired to call the Bureau's attention to referenced Manual section which is dated June 30, 1958, and which appears to have omitted the regulation requiring that the residence telephones of the Special Agent in Charge and the Assistant Special Agent in Charge be checked at the time of the quarterly security checks called for in this section.

As the Bureau is aware, the Special Agent in Charge and Assistant Special Agent in Charge often receive calls from the Bureau as well as military and Naval intelligence officers on their home telephones and, therefore, the security aspect is of equal importance to their office telephones; for this reason the residence telephone lines of the Special Agent in Charge and the Assistant Special Agent in Charge in San Francisco were checked as was called for by past Bureau regulation.

In view of the above, it is suggested that the Bureau instruct Field Divisions to incorporate the above check in future security checks of telephone lines.

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1 - San Francisco
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *JP*

DATE: March 6, 1959

FROM : R. L. Miller *RLM*~~JUNE~~SUBJECT: * TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF THE
EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

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On March 5, 1959, Special Agents [] and [] completed a telephone security check on the telephone lines of the Director and members of the Executives Conference. No evidence of tampering or other irregularities was noted.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information only.

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*W.S. [initials]**W*

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The Attorney General

March 10, 1959

Director, FBI

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

SERVING

For your information, on March 5, 1959, FBI personnel completed a security check on the telephone lines serving your office and residence. An inspection of these lines was made at all places where access was possible except within the telephone company central offices. There was no evidence of tampering or other irregularity.

I will keep you advised of the results of any subsequent inspection of this type.

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See Cover Memorandum Millen to Parsons 3-10-59 re
TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, ATTORNEY GENERAL. WGS:nll

This letter has been classified ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ because of the nature of the work.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *JP*

DATE: 3-10-59

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

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SUBJECT:

○ TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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On March 5, 1959, a telephone security check was made on the telephone lines serving the office and residence of the Attorney General by SA's An inspection of these lines was made at all places where access was possible except within the telephone company central offices. There was no evidence of tampering or other irregularity.

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RECOMMENDATION:

There is attached, for the Director's use if he so desires, a memorandum to the Attorney General setting forth the results of the telephone security check.

Enclosure *sent 3-10-59*

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *JP*

DATE: March 6, 1959

FROM : R. L. MILLEN *RLM*

SUBJECT:

TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
 SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE
 IMPROPER ACTIVITIES IN LABOR-MANAGEMENT
 RELATIONS
 (Bufile 62-97308)

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Pursuant to the request of Senator John L. McClellan, periodic security check is made of the residential and office telephone lines of Senator McClellan and of the Committee's Chief Counsel, Mr. Robert F. Kennedy.

On March 5, 1959, [redacted] and [redacted] completed security check of all residential and office telephone lines of Senator McClellan and Mr. Kennedy. No evidence of irregularity or tampering was found.

RECOMMENDATION:

That [redacted] advise Senator McClellan of the completion of this telephone security check and the results thereof.

1 - Mr. Rosen (Attention: [redacted])

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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

5:12 PM April 24, 1959

Liaison Agent [] advised that [] Security Control Officer, Commerce Department, telephonically advised him this date that Secretary Strauss requested that the intercommunications system in the Secretary's suite be taken out and phone company requested to install new system immediately as old intercommunications system antiquated and insecure. [] stated he would appreciate any indication of best type intercommunications system Bureau Laboratory may be aware. Secretary also requested Bureau be asked to make complete security check of communication facilities in Secretary's suite for possible listening devices. [] requested to know today if Laboratory can handle this week end. Liaison Agent [] stated the Laboratory advises they can handle on Saturday, April 25.

Liaison Agent [] stated if the Director approves, Liaison will advise Commerce security check can be made, but no recommendation of particular intercommunications system will be made.

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Mr. Parsons _____
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *P*

DATE April 27, 1959

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

JUNE

SUBJECT:

SECURITY SURVEY FOR SECRETARY OF COMMERCE
LEWIS A. STRAUSS

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On 4-24-59, [] former Special Agent and present Security Control Officer of the Department of Commerce, telephonically advised SA [] of the Liaison Section that Secretary of Commerce Lewis A. Strauss had requested that arrangements be made for the Federal Bureau of Investigation to conduct a security check for possible listening devices in his suite of offices in the Commerce Department. At [] request, the survey was to be limited only to the "most likely" places where such devices could be concealed. On the same date, the Director approved making such a survey for Secretary Strauss.

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On 4-25-59, SAs [] and [] of the Electronics Section conducted a survey of the 3-room office suite of Secretary Strauss and of the following offices:

Under Secretary of Commerce John J. Allen
Under Secretary of Commerce Frederick H. Mueller
Assistant Secretary of Commerce Henry Kearns
Assistant Secretary of Commerce Carl F. Oechsle
Assistant Secretary of Commerce George T. Moore

This check involved 8 offices, 21 telephone instruments and 21 telephone lines. No evidence of clandestine listening devices in these offices or of tampering with the telephone lines was discovered.

[] was present during the survey and was advised of the results.

RECOMMENDATION:

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1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention: [])

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *D*

DATE: May 11, 1959

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: 0
TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS- WHITE HOUSE ✓

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By memorandum 5/5/59, Brigadier General A. J. Goodpaster, Staff Secretary to the President, requested technical assistance from the FBI in connection with the activities of Secret Service and Signal Corps elements concerned with the security of the President.

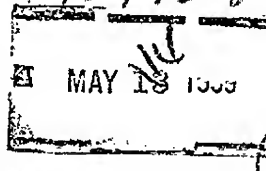
FBI Laboratory technicians will furnish the desired service at a time convenient to Secret Service and Signal Corps groups at the White House, and I am advising General Goodpaster by return letter of our intentions to cooperate. I will keep you advised of developments in relation to this matter.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 5, 1959

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MEMORANDUM FOR

THE DIRECTOR
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

From time to time, there is need on the part of the Secret Service and Signal Corps elements supporting the President for technical assistance, particularly relating to electronics, in activities concerned with the security of the President.

It would be most helpful, and greatly appreciated, if you could make available from the resources of the FBI technicians trained in this activity to assist in this way at the request of the Secret Service or the Signal Corps elements assigned to the White House Office.

A. J. Goodpaster
A. J. Goodpaster
Brigadier General, USA
Staff Secretary

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MAY 15 1959

*Let. to Brig Gen A.J. Goodpaster
White House CUM/ULL*

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REC-15 62-87503-168

May 11, 1959

Brigadier General A. J. Goodpaster
Staff Secretary
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear General Goodpaster:

Your memorandum of May 5, 1959, requesting technical assistance in the activities of Secret Service and Signal Corps elements concerned with the security of the President has been received.

I have instructed representatives of our Laboratory trained in these endeavors to render the necessary services. They will coordinate activities with Secret Service and Signal Corps units assigned to the White House.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

GWM:nll

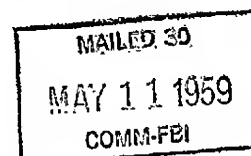
1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention: Mr. Bartlett)

NOTE: This matter has been coordinated with FBI Liaison representative to the White House.

See Cover Memo Millen to Parsons dated 5/11/59.

RE: Telephone Security Check - White House. GWM/nll

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: May 29, 1959

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

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SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
WHITE HOUSE
(Bufile 62-97308)

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By 5/11/59 letter, the Director advised Brigadier General A. J. Goodpaster, Staff Secretary at the White House, that FBI Laboratory engineers would be glad to furnish technical assistance to the White House details of the Secret Service and Signal Corps on matters concerning the security of the President. It was understood through Liaison that White House personnel would contact the Bureau at such time as assistance was needed. Pursuant to the above arrangements, on 5/26/59 Robert I. Bouck, Special Agent in Charge, Protective Research Section, White House Detail, Secret Service, (who initiated the White House request for assistance) requested that Laboratory engineers survey the physical setup of the telephone system and recommend what steps, if any, should be taken to make it "as secure as possible within the walls of the White House." Bouck will advise SA O.H. Bartlett when the President is away from the White House so that the survey can include living quarters as well as office space at the same time.

As a part of the assistance being rendered, it was arranged with Bouck that the countermeasure devices in the White House telephones be rechecked by Laboratory engineers on the evening of 6/2/59. Any new ones or replacements that are needed will be installed at a later date.

For your information, the Bureau made a complete technical security survey of 450 White House telephone lines in 1945 for evidence of tampering. It is contemplated that the present survey will be limited to a physical inspection on which to base recommendations for improved security. Also, countermeasure devices have been maintained by the Bureau at the White House since 1951 to prevent telephones from being used to pick up room conversations.

ACTION:

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1. Laboratory engineers will recheck White House countermeasures on evening of 6/2/59 unless advised to contrary. JUN 4 1959

2. Laboratory engineers will maintain close contact with Bouck so present survey may be completed at earliest possible date.

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1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention: Mr. Bartlett)

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The Attorney General

June 9, 1959

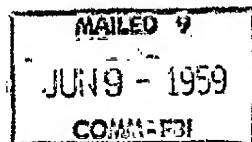
Director, FBI

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

A security check of the telephone lines serving your office and residence was completed on June 8, 1959, by FBI Laboratory personnel. An inspection was made at all points where access to these lines is possible, including the instruments themselves and telephone company central offices. No irregularities were observed.

I shall continue to keep you advised of subsequent inspections of this type.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 6-8-59

JUNE

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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On 6-8-59, the telephone security check of the Attorney General's office and residence telephone lines was completed by SA's G. W. Mayo, Jr., and [REDACTED]. This inspection was made at all points where access may be had to the lines, including the instruments themselves and telephone company central offices. No evidence of tampering was observed.

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RECOMMENDATION:

A memorandum to the Attorney General, reporting the results of the telephone security check, is attached hereto for the Director's use if he so desires.

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Enclosure sent 6-9-59

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *J*

DATE: 6-15-59

JUNE

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT:

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TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF THE
EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

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On 6-12-59, SA's G. W. Mayo and [] completed a survey of the residence telephone lines of the above Bureau officials. A check was made at all points where access could be had to the lines, including the instruments themselves and the telephone company exchanges. No evidence of tampering was observed.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 6-15-59

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FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: *0*
TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, WHITE HOUSE
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By letter 5-11-59, the Director advised Brigadier General A. J. Goodpaster, Staff Secretary of the White House, that FBI Laboratory engineers would be glad to furnish technical assistance to the White House details of the Secret Service and Signal Corps on matters concerning security of the President. It was understood through Liaison that White House personnel would contact the Bureau at such time as assistance was needed. My memorandum to you of 5-29-59 pointed out that, as a part of the service being rendered, a recheck of the countermeasure devices in the White House telephones would be made on 6-2-59.

During the course of this recheck, Robert I. Bouck, Special Agent in Charge of the Secret Service Detail, requested that certain additional telephone instruments be protected in the future at a time to be designated by him.

At the suggestion of SA [] Bouck stated that he would arrange for a meeting of himself, representatives of the White House Signal Corps Detail, and FBI Laboratory Engineers to discuss the purpose and scope of the requested survey. The Laboratory Agents will be advised directly by Bouck when he is able to arrange for this meeting.

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To date, Bouck has not contacted the Bureau on either the countermeasures or the meeting.

ACTION:

For information.

1 - Mr. Bartlett

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: 7-1-59

FROM : R. L. Miller

JUNE

SUBJECT:

TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
WHITE HOUSE
(Bufile 62-97308)

Tolson ☒
Belmont ☒
DeLoach ☐
McGuire ☐
Mohr ☐
Parsons ☐
Rosen ☐
Tamm ☐
Trotter ☐
W.C. Sullivan ☐
Tele. Room ☐
Holloman ☐
Gandy ☐

Brigadier General A. J. Goodpaster was advised by letter 5-11-59 that Laboratory would furnish technical assistance to the White House Secret Service and Signal Corps details. As pointed out in my memoranda of 5-29 and 6-15-59 contact so far with Robert I. Bouck, Special Agent in Charge, Protective Research Section, Secret Service, has resulted in a recheck of countermeasures in White House phones by Laboratory and indication from Bouck that complete survey of White House telephone facilities would be requested at such time as the President is out of town for an extended period. We are presently awaiting further word from Bouck as to when the White House work schedule will permit completion of the survey.

Bouck has indicated that purpose of survey is to obtain recommendations as to how to make the White House telephone system as secure as possible. Subsequent information has been obtained reflecting that Bouck has likewise solicited information and assistance concerning a secure telephone system from representatives of other Government agencies, the local Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company and the Bell Telephone Laboratories, Incorporated, of New Jersey. It appears that Bouck does not have a thorough understanding of either the technical or security problems involved in operating and maintaining a telephone system and is shopping around for advice and assistance. In view of this, we will be most circumspect in future dealings with Bouck.

Information also indicates that neither Bouck nor anyone else has the responsibility for the security of the entire White House telephone system, that Bouck lacks authority to control the installation and removal of telephone instruments, and that he does not have the full cooperation of other White House employees concerning the telephone system. With such a lack of centralized authority and control, it is extremely doubtful that any amount of technical protection would guarantee full security of the telephone system.

ACTION: For information. Laboratory will complete survey of White House telephone facilities at such time as Bouck initiates a request for such.

1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention: Mr. Bartlett)

JMM:AJB:ctw

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: June 24, 1959

FROM : R. L. Miller

SUBJECT: IRREGULAR TELEPHONE OPERATION
(Bufile 62-97308)b6
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Tolson _____
Belmont _____
DeLoach _____
McGuire _____
Mohr _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

During the morning of 6-23-59, Mr. Frank Holloman (Bureau extension 457) dialed the Attorney General's office (Justice Department extension 2001) through Justice Department telephone code 187. Instead of being connected in the usual manner, he was cut directly in on a conversation between the Attorney General's [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] This should not happen under normal circumstances. If all of the Attorney General's lines are busy, the calling party should get a busy signal.

In view of this report from Mr. Holloman, inquiry was made of the telephone company, without revealing the above details, as to whether equipment trouble had increased since initiation of interdepartmental dialing. A slight increase has been noted, but there has also been a considerable increase in the number of calls handled by the equipment which explains the increase.

From the nature of the instant occurrence, it must have been caused by a malfunction within the Justice Department telephone equipment rather than in the FBI telephone equipment. It was learned from telephone company personnel that no complaints of malfunctioning of Justice Department dial equipment had been received during the instant morning. One thing was learned, however, which could have led to the apparently isolated malfunctioning involved here.

A traffic study (survey of the volume of calls) was being conducted in the Justice Exchange by three telephone company women employees. A temporary malfunction of the present type could easily have been caused by an inadvertent brushing against the telephone switching equipment by one of these employees during the course of their survey work.

In any event, occurrences of the type reported are not normal; they can be expected to happen only rarely, and then only as a result of an equipment malfunction.

ACTION:

None. For information only.

1 - Mr. Holloman

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O TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS

RM [signature]
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[signature]
[signature]
[signature]

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *P*

DATE: 8/18/59

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT:

SECURITY SURVEY OF TELEPHONE LINES
AT BUREAU RELOCATION SITE

Tolson ☒
Belmont ☒
DeLoach ☒
McGuire ☒
Mohr ☐
Parsons ☒
Rosen ☒
Tamm ☒
Trotter ☐
W.C. Sullivan ☐
Tele. Room ☐
Holloman ☐
Gandy ☐

SA's G. W. Mayo and [] have completed a security survey of six (6) telephone lines and four (4) long distance lines serving the switchboard at the Bureau's relocation site. No evidence of tampering on these lines was observed. *W. Mayo*

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1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention: [])
1 - Mr. Tamm (Attention: Mr. Sloan)

GWM:nll *see*

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May 15, 1959

62-97308-177

Andrew
G.J.

Brigadier General Andrew J. Goodpaster
Staff Secretary
The White House
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear General:

Thanks very much for your note of
the 12th--I assure you we are always glad to be of
any possible service at any time. Your comment
on my anniversary is certainly appreciated, and
I'm inclined to agree with you that the next 35 are
bound to be easier.

Every best wish,

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

HPL:cam
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REC'D-READING ROOM
FBI

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Belmont _____
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Mohr _____
Parsons _____
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Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 12, 1959

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| Mr. Belmont | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. DeLoach | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. McGuire | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. Mohr | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. Parsons | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. Rosen | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. Tamm | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. Trotter | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. W.C. Sullivan | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Tele. Room | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Mr. Holloman | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Miss Gandy | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

Dear Mr. Hoover:

62-97308-168

Many thanks for your letter informing me that you have instructed representatives of your laboratory to render technical assistance along the lines I requested a few days ago. The help will be greatly appreciated.

May I add that I have heard, in the military service, that the first thirty-five are the hardest. All the best for your next thirty-five.

Sincerely,

Andrew Goodpastor
A. J. Goodpastor
Brigadier General, USA

Security Surveys

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

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W.C. Sullivan

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The Attorney General

September 14, 1959

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Director, FBI

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SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

For your information, on September 11, 1959, FBI personnel completed a security check on the telephone lines serving your office and residence. An inspection of these lines was made at all places where access was possible except within the telephone company central office. There was no evidence of tampering or other irregularity.

I will keep you advised of the results of any subsequent inspection of this type.

CKC:nll

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62-97303

See Cover Memorandum Mr. Millen to Mr. Parsons 9/14/59 re:
Telephone Security Check, Attorney General. CKC:nll 9/14/59

This letter has been classified ~~Confidential~~ because of the nature of the work.

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Trotter _____
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Holloman _____
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W.C. Sullivan

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MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons *J*

DATE: 9/14/59

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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| Tele. Room | _____ |
| Holloman | _____ |
| Gandy | _____ |

On September 11, 1959, a telephone security check was made on the telephone lines serving the office and residence of the Attorney General. An inspection of these lines was made at all places where access was possible except within the telephone company controlled areas. There was no evidence of tampering or other irregularity.

RECOMMENDATION:

There is attached for the Director's use, if he so desires, a memorandum to the Attorney General setting forth the results of the telephone security check. *MA*

62-97308

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CKC:JLH
(4) *gfh*

Enclosure

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. D. J. Parsons

DATE: September 11, 1959

FROM : Mr. R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: Telephone Security Checks
Members of the Executives Conference

Tolson _____
Belmont _____
DeLoach _____
McGuire _____
Mohr _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

On September 10, 1959, the security check of the telephone lines serving the residences of the Director and members of the Executives Conference was completed by [REDACTED]

The check included an inspection of lines at all places where access is possible except within the telephone company controlled areas. There was no evidence of tampering or other irregularity.

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I will continue, as in the past, to keep you informed of subsequent inspections of this type.

ACTION:

None. For information only.

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CKC:bse
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55 OCT 2⁵⁹ 1959

6 SEP 25 1959

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10 SEP 23 1959

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : THE DIRECTOR

DATE: September 14, 1959

FROM :

A. ROSEN *form*

SUBJECT:

TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
SENATOR JOHN L. McCLELLAN;
ROBERT F. KENNEDY, *10-12*
FORMER CHIEF COUNSEL, *11-22*
SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE

62-97307

Tolson _____
Belmont _____
DeLoach _____
McGuire _____
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Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

In line with the Director's instructions, the Laboratory has been making regular security checks on telephone service utilized by Senator McClellan at his home and office and has performed similar checks for Robert Kennedy.

The work of the Senate Select Committee has been practically completed. Senator McClellan has announced no further hearings will be held and on submission of a report the Committee is scheduled to go out of existence the end of the year. The resignation of Chief Counsel Kennedy has been announced.

In view of the above, the following action is recommended:

- (1) Senator McClellan continues his position in public life as a Senator and Chairman of the Government Operations Committee. He has been most appreciative of the Director's consideration in having his telephone lines checked and has often expressed his gratification and how reassuring this was to him. It is therefore recommended that no change be made and that we continue to provide this service.

*Sen McClellan's CM's
at office Res
allowed to remain
in form*

- (2) With reference to Robert Kennedy, it is noted he has resigned his position and is no longer a Government employee. Kennedy will soon become involved directly in his brother's political campaign. Under these circumstances, it would appear that we should discontinue our check of his telephone lines. If this is approved, arrangements will be made for the Laboratory to remove our equipment which has been utilized in securing these telephone lines.

*4 CM's removed from
office phones 9/17/59
form*

*5 CM's removed from
Residence phones
9/18/59 form*

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1-Laboratory Division

CAE:hcw

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. D. J. Parsons

DATE: October 14, 1959

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: *X* SUN ELECTRIC CORPORATION CONCERNING
MICROPHONE DETECTING AND JAMMING EQUIPMENT

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| Tolson | _____ |
| Belmont | _____ |
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| McGuire | _____ |
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| Parsons | _____ |
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| W.C. Sullivan | _____ |
| Tele. Room | _____ |
| Holloman | _____ |
| Gandy | _____ |

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Above company directed a letter to the Chicago Field Office requesting information on parabolic and "gun" directional microphones, microphone and wire recorder detecting equipment, and microphone jammers. It is not felt that any positive information concerning such confidential matters should be supplied this company, even to the extent of indicating that the information in Bureau files cannot be disseminated to outside sources.

RECOMMENDATION:

Sent 10-15-59

That the attached letter from the Director be sent to Sun Electric Company.

1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention:)

62-97308

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EX-105

23 OCT 16 1959

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ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 04-13-2011 BY 60324 uc baw/sab/lsg

62-97303 —

October 2, 1959

Special Agent in Charge, Albany (66-Tech. Equip.)

Re:
TELEPHONE HAND-TEST SET REPAIR

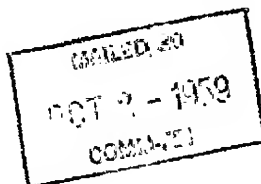
Dear Sir:

The following concerns the technical equipment of your office:

Reurlet 9/25/59 covering transmittal of one Western Electric
1011 GW Lineman's Test Set for repair or replacement.

A replacement 1011 GW Test Set is being forwarded your
office under separate cover by registered mail.

JMM:nll (5)



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Belmont _____
DeLoach _____
McGuire _____
Mohr _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

55 OCT 8 1959

MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 9/25/59

FROM : SAC, ALBANY

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE HAND-TEST SET
REPAIR*Telephone - Security
checks*

A Telephone hand-test set is being forwarded under separate cover for repair or replacement.

Upon completion set should be returned to the Albany Office.

Encl. (1)

cc: 2 - Bureau (Encl. 1) *(1 cc - Package)*
1 - Albany (66-Tech. Equip.)

JFJ:hah

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23 OCT 5 1959

*John Brown 10/2/59
SAC Albany
T. H. Brown**7
g. m.*

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT

DATE: October 16, 1959

FROM : MR. F. A. FROHBOSE

SUBJECT: *Telephone Security Survey -*
HOUSING AND HOME FINANCE AGENCY (HHFA)
REQUEST FOR SECURITY CHECK REGARDING
OFFICE PHONES OF ADMINISTRATOR AND
DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR

Tolson _____
 Belmont _____
 DeLoach _____
 McGuire _____
 Mohr _____
 Parsons _____
 Rosen _____
 Tamm _____
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 W.C. Sullivan _____
 Tele. Room _____
 Holloman _____
 Gandy _____

On October 16, 1959, Mr. Lester P. Condon, Director, Compliance Division, HHFA, telephonically contacted the Liaison Agent. Condon advised [redacted] is very concerned regarding several matters mentioned recently by [redacted] in phone conversations which were later repeated to him by other persons than those called. Condon stated the Administrator states the possibility exists that someone may be tapping the phone in his office. Condon stated Administrator requested him to ask the Bureau if we would have Laboratory men conduct security check on phones and lines in the office of the Administrator and Deputy Administrator [redacted] to be sure that they are safe. Condon added the Administrator thinks highly of the Bureau and would feel greatly assured if our men examined the office phones. He stated Saturday would appear to be the best time for such a check as office personnel would not be present.

Above matter was discussed with the Laboratory Division who indicate Laboratory personnel are available and above security check can be handled. It was noted that we have, on occasion in the past, extended this service to higher echelon Government officials other than Cabinet members. While we have not often had occasion to call on HHFA for particular assistance in matters of great importance to the Bureau, our relations with HHFA Administrator and Compliance Division officials have been good, and they have displayed a cooperative attitude in all matters discussed with them by Liaison. As a matter of cooperation, and in view of the concern of the HHFA Administrator in this situation, it is felt that it would be desirable to render the HHFA Administrator our technical assistance in this instance.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that approval be given for a security check by the Laboratory on the office phones of the Administrator and Deputy Administrator, HHFA. If approved, this memorandum should be referred to the Laboratory Division for contact with Mr. Condon as to most appropriate time this check may be made. Condon may be reached on Code 128, Ext. 5208, HHFA.

55 NOV 6 1959

PHF:jlk (7) gfk
 1 - Mr. Conrad
 1 - Laboratory
 1 - Mr. Millen
 1 - Mr. Belmont

1 - Liaison Section
 1 - Mr. Fields

Survey made 11/23+24/59, HOS/JAM

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23 OCT 30 1959

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October 15, 1959

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(JT) ~~SECRET~~ -
○ microphone Telephone Security Surveys -

Aeronautical Engineering Division
Sun Electric Corporation
Harlem and Avondale
Chicago 31, Illinois

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Attention: Security Officer

Dear [redacted]

Your October 5, 1959, letter to our Chicago Office, concerning microphones and microphone detecting and jamming equipment, has been referred to me.

While I appreciate the interest which prompted your making this request of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, I regret that we are unable to furnish you any information regarding the subject of your inquiry.

You may be assured of my desire to be of assistance whenever possible.

Sincerely yours, _____

John Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

- 1 - FBI, Chicago
1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention: Mr. Whitson)

NOTE: Bufiles reflect no derogatory information attributable to Sun Electric Corporation, [redacted]

NOTE: See cover memorandum to Mr. Parsons from R.L. Millen dated 10/14/59, captioned "SUN ELECTRIC CORPORATION CONCERNING MICROPHONE DETECTING AND JAMMING EQUIPMENT," JMM:dan.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Parsons

DATE: October 28, 1959

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: *Telephone Security Surveys -*
 Housing and Home Finance Agency (HHFA)
 Request for Security Check Regarding
 Office Phones of Administrator and
 Deputy Administrator

Tolson ☒
 Belmont ☒
 DeLoach ☒
 McGuire ☒
 Mohr ☒
 Parsons ☒
 Rosen ☒
 Tamm ☒
 Trotter ☒
 W.C. Sullivan ☒
 Tele. Room ☒
 Holloman ☒
 Gandy ☒

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Reference is made to the 10/16/59 memorandum from Mr. Frohbose to Mr. Belmont setting forth a request for a security check of the office telephones of HHFA Administrator [redacted] and Deputy Administrator [redacted] Former Special Agent [redacted] Director, HHFA Compliance Division made this request through Special Agent [redacted] of Liaison Section. The Director approved the survey on 10/19/59.

Through arrangements made with Condon, Special Agents [redacted] and [redacted] made a check of the four lines serving the above two officials and the nine instruments on which these lines appear. No evidence of tampering was detected on any of the lines.

As requested by Condon, Special Agent [redacted] advised the latter of the results of the survey on 10/26/59.

Recommendation: For information only

62-97308 -

1 - Mr. Belmont [redacted]

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 REM:baw law
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The Attorney General

December 15, 1959

Director, FBI

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

For your information on 12/9/59, FBI personnel completed a security check on the telephone lines serving your residence. Inspection was made at all points where access can be had to the telephone lines including telephone company exchanges. No evidence of tampering was noted.

I will keep you advised of the results of any subsequent inspections of this type.

RAM:pcc
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62-97308

NOTE: See cover memorandum Mr. Millen to Mr. Tamm 12/14/59
re: Telephone Security Check, Attorney General. RAM;pcc 12/15/59.

NOTE: This letter has been classified ~~Confidential~~ because of the nature
of the work.

Tolson _____
Belmont _____
DeLoach _____
McGuire _____
Mohr _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

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10 15 1959

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tamm

DATE: December 14, 1959

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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| Belmont | _____ |
| DeLoach | _____ |
| McGuire | _____ |
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| W.C. Sullivan | _____ |
| Tele. Room | _____ |
| Holloman | _____ |
| Gandy | _____ |

On 12/9/59, a telephone security check was made on the telephone lines serving the residence of the Attorney General. Inspection was made at all points where access can be had to the telephone lines including telephone company exchanges. No evidence of tampering was noted.

RECOMMENDATION:

There is attached for the Director's use, if he so desires, a memorandum to the Attorney General setting forth the results of the telephone security check.

Enclosure *sent 12-15-59*

62-97308

RAM:pcc

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55 DEC 18 1959

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

To : Mr. Tamm

DATE: December 14, 1959

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: ~~TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK~~
DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF
EXECUTIVE CONFERENCE

Tolson ☒
Belmont ☒
DeLoach ☒
McGuire ☒
Mohr ☒
Parsons ☒
Rosen ☒
Tamm ☒
Trotter ☒
W.C. Sullivan ☒
Tele. Room ☒
Holloman ☒
Gandy ☒

On 12/10/59, Special Agents [] and [] completed a security check on the telephone lines of the Director and members of the Executive Conference. A check was made at all points where access can be had to the lines including telephone company exchanges. No evidence of tampering was noted.

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RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

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RAM:pcc
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Telephone Security Check

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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 Mohr _____
 Parsons _____
 Belmont _____
 Callahan _____
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 Malone _____
 McGuire _____
 Rosen _____
 Tamm _____
 Trotter _____
 W.C. Sullivan _____
 Tele. Room _____
 Ingram _____
 Gandy _____

TO : Mr. Tamm

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: ⁶ SECURITY SURVEY
 ROOM B-25
 UNITED STATES CAPITOL BUILDING
 HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE

DATE: 2/2/60

~~JUNE~~

Pursuant to your telephonic instructions on 1/29/60, Supervisors G. W. Mayo, [redacted] and [redacted] conducted a security survey for concealed microphones in Room B-25, United States Capitol Building, the hearing room in which the Director will testify.

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As requested, the security survey, which was made on 1/30/60, was limited to those places most likely for microphone concealment. No evidence reflecting concealed listening devices was discovered.

[redacted] of the House Subcommittee on Appropriations, was present during the search and is aware of the results.

ACTION: For information.

1 - Mr. Callahan

CKC:rwg
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DATE 04-13-2011

The Attorney General

April 12, 1960

Director, FBI

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

For your information, FBI personnel made a security check on telephone lines serving your office and residence on April 5 and 7, 1960. These lines were inspected at all points where access was possible, exclusive of areas controlled by the telephone company. There was no evidence of tampering or other irregularity.

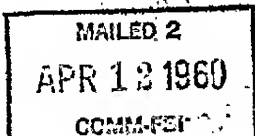
I will keep you advised of any subsequent inspections we may make.

62-97303

NOTE: See cover memorandum dated 4/1/60, Millen to Tamm, captioned "Telephone Security Check, Attorney General." This letter has been classified "~~Confidential~~" because of the nature of the work.

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Parsons _____
Belmont _____
Callahan _____
DeLoach _____
Malone _____
McGuire _____
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Tele. Room _____
Ingram _____
Gandy _____

GWM:rw
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MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

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APR 17 4 05 PM '60
READING ROOM

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Tamm

DATE: 4/11/60

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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On April 5 and 7, 1960, a telephone security check was made on telephone lines serving the office and residence of the Attorney General. An inspection of these lines was made at all places where access is possible, exclusive of areas controlled by the telephone company. There was no evidence of tampering or other irregularity.

As you know, it has been our policy to quarterly inspect the telephone lines of the Attorney General coincidental with our check of telephone lines of members of the Executives Conference. Once a year, we inspect terminations within the residence and twice a year appearances within areas under telephone company control. All other appearances are subject to the quarterly check of which the above was one.

RECOMMENDATION:

There is attached for the Director's use, if he so desires, a memorandum to the Attorney General setting forth the results of the telephone security check.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Tamm

DATE: 4/12/60

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

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On 4/12/60, Laboratory personnel completed a security check on telephone lines serving the Director and members of the Executives Conference. All line terminations to which access is possible except those in areas under telephone company control were inspected. In addition, the telephone instruments and wiring at the residences of Mr. Callahan and Mr. Ingram as well as appearances of those lines within telephone company central offices were inspected.

No evidence of tampering or other irregularity was apparent.

RECOMMENDATION: None. For information.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Tamm

DATE: June 17, 1960

FROM : R. L. Miller *RLM*SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS FOR
SENATOR JOHN L. MC CLELLAN

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On 6-16-60, Electronics Section personnel completed a security check of the residence and office telephone lines of Senator John L. McClellan. This check included the instruments and line appearances of the office phones and the line appearances of the residence phones. The instruments at the residence were not checked at this time, since this part of the survey was conducted just two months ago.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

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The Attorney General

June 24, 1960

Director, FBI

~~SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES~~

I thought you would like to know that FBI personnel completed a security check of your office and residence telephone lines on June 20, 1960. No evidence of tampering was observed at any of the points where access could be had to the lines.

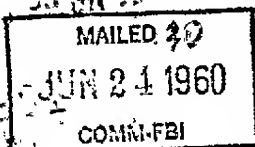
I will keep you advised of any subsequent inspections of this type.

NOTE: See cover memo from Mr. Millen to Mr. Tamm dated 6-22-60, JMM:pcc, re Telephone Security Check, Attorney General.

NOTE: This letter classified ~~Confidential~~ because of the nature of the work.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Tamm

DATE: June 22, 1960

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: ⁰ TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
 ATTORNEY GENERAL

On June 13, 16, and 20, 1960, a security check was made of the office and residence telephone lines of Attorney General William P. Rogers. The inspection was made in his office and residence, in the telephone exchanges, and at points outside the above locations where access could be had to the lines. No evidence of tampering was observed.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the attached letter be forwarded to the Attorney General if the Director so desires.

Enclosure *sent 6-24-60*

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TO : Mr. Tamm *STP*

DATE: September 8, 1960

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: SECURITY MATTER CONCERNING
 DUDLEY C. SHARP
 SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE

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Security Surveys

Reference is made to your 9-7-60, telephone call to me advising that an Air Force Office of Special Investigations (OSI) security check team had encountered an unexplained situation at the residence of Secretary of the Air Force Dudley C. Sharp, [REDACTED]. In the course of making a check for concealed listening devices, the team, headed by Major Al Sears, reportedly discovered a working microphone. Due to possible Bureau interest, SA [REDACTED] and myself proceeded to the Secretary's residence at 9:00 p.m. and determined the following situation to exist.

A buzzer system is utilized between the four floors of the Sharp residence to enable occupants to signal each other on the different floors. OSI technicians checked the wiring of this system at a central location in the basement for possible hidden microphones attached to the buzzer wires. In the case of the buzzer in the library on the third floor, they were able to hear room conversation. Verification of this fact was made by myself and [REDACTED]

This "freak" condition was determined to be due to the particular buzzer, line, test equipment and test techniques used by OSI. None of the other buzzers at other locations in the house could be activated in the same manner. It was further determined that the condition was confined to the buzzer system itself and there was no indication that the signal was being carried out of the house on other wires.

ACTION:

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Laboratory representatives will follow this matter through the Bureau's representation on the National Security Council Special Committee on Technical Surveillance Countermeasures to determine whether this condition is other than an isolated phenomenon. Additional tests will be conducted by the Electronics Section.

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : MR. PARSONS

DATE: 9/8/60

FROM : A. H. Belmont

cc Mr. Parsons
Mr. Belmont
Mr. Tamm

SUBJECT: ~~ALLEGED MICROPHONE IN HOME OF~~
~~SECRETARY OF AIR FORCE SHARP,~~
9/7/60

Security Surveys

At 8 p.m. on 9/7, [] of the Office of Special Investigations (OSI), Air Force, called me to advise that one of OSI's teams, which checks security at the homes of Air Force officials, had come across what appeared to be a microphone in the wall of the study of Secretary Sharp. He said the searching devices had given a positive reaction to an item in this wall, and that wires led to a telephone cable, where they disappeared. He asked that we assist in having the Laboratory check to find out the significance of this matter, stating that meanwhile he had told his people to take no further action, but to stand by.

Arrangements were made for Messrs. Millen and [] of the Laboratory, together with a Washington Field Office agent, to go to Sharp's home on the evening of 9/7 and check this out.

The attached memorandum from Mr. Millen reflects that this was due to a buzzer system utilized between the four floors of the Sharp residence, to enable occupants to signal each other on the different floors. The freak condition was confined to the buzzer system, and particularly the buzzer in the library on the third floor of the house. There was no indication that the signal was being carried out of the house on other wires. Consequently, this was not a microphone installation, but a freak condition due to the buzzer system. The Laboratory is following the matter.

On the morning of 9/8 [] called to express his appreciation for the prompt action of the Bureau. He said that the buzzer system would be changed in the Secretary's home to remove this condition.

For information.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: September 8, 1960

FROM : SAC, Birmingham (66-672)

SUBJECT: SECURITY CHECK OF TELEPHONE
AND TELETYPE LINES
RESIDENT AGENCIES

Re No Number SAC LET 58-K.

742 The only Agent in the Birmingham Division qualified to make security checks is Special Agent [redacted] Senior Resident Agent, Florence. At the earliest opportunity, as the Bureau has been advised, another Agent will be trained in Sound; however, until such can be done we must rely exclusively on SA [redacted]

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SA [redacted] was scheduled to make the inspection during the week beginning September 7, 1960. However, this could not be done since the only other Agent assigned to the Florence Resident Agency, [redacted] left Florence September 2, 1960, en route Memphis on a special, the duration of which is yet unknown.

In view of the above, the security check will not be made until SA [redacted] returns to the Florence Resident Agency UACB.

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Mr. Joan F. Coherly
Justice Representative on the
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Internal Security
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

September 22, 1960

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SECURITY SURVEY OF TELEPHONE LINES

Reference is made to your memorandum to me of September 9, 1960, concerning a proposal by the General Services Administration (GSA) as to the security of United States Government telephone lines throughout the country, except in Washington, D. C. GSA recommends: (1) identification of all sensitive Government lines; and (2) removal of multiple appearances from such lines by the telephone company.

Although I appreciate your thoughtfulness in referring this to my attention, I do not feel that the Federal Bureau of Investigation is in a position to comment on a matter pertaining to the security of telephone lines of other Government agencies. I do hope you will understand my position in this regard.

NOTE: Bureau has been removing unnecessary multiple appearances from its lines in the course of security surveys of these lines for years. In 1955 Bureau was responsible for having multiples of U. S. Government lines of all other agencies in Washington removed from premises occupied by foreign governments. This was done on basis of cooperation by Laboratory's telephone contact at no cost to the Government and at considerable expense to the company.

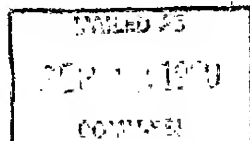
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: September 9 1960

FROM : *JFD* John F. Doherty
Justice Representative on ICIS

SUBJECT: Security Survey of Telephone Lines

On December 12, 1955 the Chairman of the Interdepartmental Committee on Internal Security advised you of the request made to the General Services Administration that ICIS be advised of the possibility of the appearances of U.S. Government telephone lines on the premises of foreign establishments in U.S. cities other than Washington, D.C. At that time GSA had indicated that it would make a survey of foreign establishments with the end in view of removing appearances of U.S. Government lines from the cabling of those establishments.

Recently, members of the ICIS Secretariat met with representatives of GSA in order to determine what progress has been made in meeting this problem. As a result of these conferences, the GSA conferred with officials of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company regarding the removal of multiple appearances, particularly those containing the lines of U.S. Government establishments, from the telephone cabling going to foreign establishments in the U.S.

Because of the magnitude of such a survey, the Telephone Company recommended as a more practical and economical approach that a list of sensitive Government agencies in cities other than Washington be transmitted so that multiple appearances could be removed from their lines.

Enclosed is a copy of a letter received from GSA dated August 30, 1960 and a copy of a memorandum dated August 12, 1960 received from the American Telephone and Telegraph Company by GSA. This correspondence sets out the results of progress made in this matter to date. As you will note, the GSA requests the assistance of the ICIS in developing the necessary detailed information regarding the identification of all sensitive Government lines throughout the U.S. It would be appreciated if the Federal Bureau of Investigation would submit whatever comments it may have regarding the proposal made by GSA.

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
Washington 25, D.C.

August 30, 1960

REGISTERED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Honorable John F. Bahrty
Chairman
Interdepartmental Committee
on Internal Security
Department of Justice Building
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Bahrty:

Further reference is made to your letter of July 18, 1960, on problems relating to the possibility of the appearance of United States Government telephone lines on the premises of foreign establishments in United States cities other than Washington, D. C., and in connection with the security of the lines serving Government offices.

As a result of conferences with representatives of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company we have concluded that to survey foreign establishments telephone lines would involve an extensive and costly work project without assurance of achievement of the expected security protection. A simpler and more practicable plan would be to provide improved security protection to the United States Government lines which serve sensitive Government offices, particularly lines used to communicate intelligence and strategic information which may be used to advantage by an enemy.

The latter plan, which we recommend, will require (1) identification of all sensitive Government lines, and (2) removal by the telephone company of multiple appearances on such lines throughout the country. With respect to the identification of the sensitive Government telephone lines, it is hoped that your Committee will lend assistance to the General Services Administration in developing the necessary detailed information. Of course, no estimate of costs can be made by the telephone company until we know the number of lines affected.

Your approval or comments on the plan we have suggested will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

62-97308-196
FRANKLIN FLORES
Administrator

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Security of U.S. Government Telephone Lines

August 12, 1960

MEMORANDUM:

Representatives of GSA recently got in touch with our Washington office to discuss the nature and extent of a security problem that may exist should there be multiple appearances of U. S. Government telephone lines on the premises of foreign establishments or in other areas of public buildings in the United States.

This matter was previously considered late in 1955 and was the subject of some discussions between American Company's Washington office and representatives of GSA.

From discussions with GSA representatives, it develops that GSA's suggested approach involves the identification of telephone lines serving foreign consular offices and foreign trade associations in the United States, then determining the security risk presented by possible close proximity of these lines to lines serving the United States Government. During discussion of the problem with GSA representatives, it was explained that such an approach would involve extensive study, improvement measures are likely to be costly, and the net result would fall short of GSA's intended objective. Some of the considerations which led to this conclusion follow:

1. Identification of the lines serving foreign consular offices and foreign trade associations would be difficult. For example, the GSA list indicated 51 such offices in San Francisco, 61 in New York City, and included no telephone number for identification of these offices.
2. Foreign consular offices and trade associations are only a part of the problem. Each of these offices has employees who generally have residence telephone service. Identification of these residence services would be extremely difficult.
3. In addition to the listed consular and trade offices, the telephone services of other potential enemy agents are usually unadvertised and extremely difficult to identify. These would be outside the scope of the proposed investigation.

As an alternative and more logical approach, it was suggested that certain telephone lines of U.S. Government agencies be identified, so that protective measures for these lines might be considered. Many telephone lines of the Federal Government would have no reason for concern from a security standpoint, but that probably those directly concerned with security could be sifted down to a relatively few, thus simplifying the problem.

It is characteristic of telephone plant that any cable pair in outside distribution plant has several appearances, probably averaging

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The proposed system would be applied to lines of two wires. The wires would be considerably longer than those used in the present system for flexibility and use of the lines for emergency in the event of a telephone system. In the event of a telephone system, the wires would involve going into splices and adding pieces of wires at considerable splicing costs. In addition, when this need for special protection is ended, perhaps because the war moves, the plant must be restored to its normal condition to provide flexibility and normal bills for the outside plant. In addition, maintaining these protective measures would involve additional administrative measures to make sure this protection is continued. This is some additional expense. No estimate of the cost of such work was given, but it was indicated that, if GSA could produce lists of critical U. S. Government lines which might warrant such protection, the costs of such measures could be explored. GSA representatives agreed to conduct this proposal.

It should be recognized that security regulations^{1/} generally prohibit the use of the telephone for the transmission of classified information.

1/ Reference: USC Title 50, Sec. 401, 61.

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*Memorandum*TO : Mr. Tamm *[initials]*

DATE: September 29, 1960

FROM : R. L. Millen *[initials]*SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK FOR
SENATOR JOHN L. MC CLELLAN

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On September 29, 1960, Electronics Section personnel completed a security check of the residence telephone lines of Senator John L. McClellan. This check was limited to points outside of the residence and telephone exchange. No evidence of tampering was observed.

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*Memorandum*TO : Mr. Tamm *CT*DATE: September 29, 1960 *87*FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: *0*
TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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On September 27 and 29, 1960, a security check was made of the office and residence telephone lines of Attorney General William P. Rogers. The inspection was made at points outside of the office, residence and telephone exchanges. No evidence of tampering was observed.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter so advising the Attorney General is attached.

Enclosure *sent 10-6-60*

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The Attorney General

October 6, 1960

Director, FBI

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

A security check of your office and residence telephone lines was completed on September 29, 1960, by FBI personnel. I thought you would like to know that they found no evidence of tampering at any of the points where access could be had to the outside lines.

I will keep you advised of any subsequent inspections of this type.

NOTE: See memorandum Millen to Tamm dated 9-29-60, captioned "TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, ATTORNEY GENERAL," CKC:pcc.

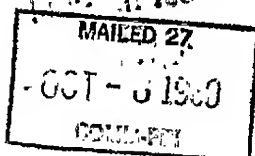
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TO : Mr. Tamm

DATE: October 5, 1960

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: SECURITY SURVEY OF RESIDENCE
TELEPHONE LINE OF SECRETARY OF
AGRICULTURE EZRA T. BENSON

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During the afternoon of 10-4-60, [] Assistant Director of Security, Department of Agriculture, telephonically advised SA [] of the Liaison Section that [] of Secretary Benson, had reported that she had heard excessive noises on her telephone at her residence at [] D. C. She indicated to [] that she suspected that her phone might be tapped or that some unexplained interference was causing the noise on the line. [] inquired as to whether it would be possible for the Bureau to make a security check of this line to determine whether the line was actually tapped.

On the basis of authorization received from Assistant to the Director, Mr. Parsons, SA's [] and [] of the Electronics Section made a security survey of this line on 10/4-5/60. The line was checked at the Benson residence, at the telephone company central office and at all points outside these two locations where access could be had to the line. No evidence of tampering was noted. When the Agents checked the operation of the telephone at the residence on 10-4-60, they noted considerable noise similar to that caused by improperly operating central office equipment. At the request of the Agents, the telephone company serviced the equipment which is connected to the Benson line at the central office.

On 10-5-60, when completing the survey on the line, the Agents determined that the noise no longer occurred. The central office foreman advised the Agents that they had discovered dirty contacts in the equipment associated with the line and that the cleaning of the contacts had eliminated the malfunctioning of the equipment.

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1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention: Mr. L'Allier and Mr. O'Connor)

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Memorandum to Mr. Tamm

Re: SECURITY SURVEY OF RESIDENCE TELEPHONE LINE
OF SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE EZRA T. BENSON
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[redacted] made inquiry of the Agents on 10-5-60, as to the results of the survey and was advised by them that the noise was apparently due to the malfunctioning of central office equipment.

RECOMMENDATION:

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That the Liaison Section advise [redacted] of the fact that no evidence of tampering was found on the residence line of [redacted] and that servicing of malfunctioning central office equipment resulted in elimination of the trouble on the line.

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by Liaison

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Tamm

DATE: December 5, 1960

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT:

TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK

DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF EXECUTIVE CONFERENCE

On 12-2-60, Laboratory personnel completed a security check of the telephone lines serving the Director and members of the Executive Conference. Inspection was made within telephone company's exchanges and at all other points of access except within residences.

No evidence of tampering or other irregularities was noted.

RECOMMENDATION: For information.

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The Attorney General

December 9, 1960

Director, FBI

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

A security check on your residence telephone lines has been completed by FBI personnel. I thought you would like to know that they found no irregularities or evidence of tampering at access points on your lines.

NOTE: See cover memorandum, Millen to Tamm, 12-8-60, re: Telephone Security Check, Attorney General.

NOTE: This letter has been classified "~~Confidential~~" because of the nature of the work.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Tamm

DATE: December 8, 1960

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
RESIDENCE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

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A security check has been completed on the residence telephone lines of Attorney General William P. Rogers. Inspection was made within telephone company central offices and at all other points of access except within the residence. No evidence of tampering or other irregularities was noted.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter so advising the Attorney General is attached.

Enclosure *sent 12-9-60*

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Tamm

DATE: December 5, 1960

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS FOR
SENATOR JOHN L. MC CLELLAN

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On 12-1-60, Laboratory personnel completed a security check on the residence telephone lines of Senator John L. McClellan. This check included all points of access except within the residence.

No evidence of tampering or other irregularities was noted.

RECOMMENDATION: For information.1 - b6
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*See McClellan advised
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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: 2/13/61

FROM : R. L. Miller

SUBJECT:

SECURITY SURVEY, ROOM B-25
 UNITED STATES CAPITOL BUILDING
 HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE

In accordance with arrangements made by Assistant Director N. P. Callahan on 2/11/61, SA's [] and [] made a security survey for concealed microphones in Room B-25 of the U. S. Capitol Building where the Director will testify on the Bureau's budget in the near future. As requested by Committee Clerk, [] (former SA), the survey was limited to those locations where concealment would be most likely. The survey included a check of four telephone instruments for alteration so that they could be used to overhear room conversation when the phones were not in use.

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[] was present throughout the survey and was advised that no evidence of concealed listening devices was discovered.

RECOMMENDATION: For information.

1 - Mr. Callahan
 1 - Mr. Mohr

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from Thomas A. Conrad 2-7-1961
L. M. Finner

(2)^c TELEPHONE SECURITY

The Attorney General referred to a memorandum he had received from the Director relative to security of telephones utilized by the President

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Memorandum for Mr. Parsons

and Cabinet officers. He said that he would bring this up at the next Cabinet meeting. In the meantime, however, the Attorney General desired that immediate action be taken to secure the telephones utilized by the President. In addition, the Attorney General asked that we also handle at once the necessary checks with regard to his telephones at his home. The Attorney General understood that the telephones in his office had already been checked.

Action Being Taken

Arrangements will be made with [redacted] Special Assistant to the President, to have our Laboratory handle the necessary work at the White House and arrangements will also be made to handle the necessary check at the Attorney General's residence.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : I. W. Conrad *JWC*

DATE: 1-26-61

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

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SUBJECT: TELEPHONE COMPANY SECURITY CHECK OF
OFFICE TELEPHONE LINES OF
POSTMASTER GENERAL J. EDWARD DAY

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On 1-26-61 the Laboratory's Chesapeake & Potomac Company (C & P) contact, [] advised that through west coast business connections Postmaster General J. Edward Day had arranged for the C & P Telephone Company to make a security check of his office telephone lines. [] together with the President of the C & P Telephone Company performed this check. They found no evidence of tampering.

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Postmaster General Day then requested of [] that a microphone security check be made. [] stated that he will advise the President of the telephone company that the telephone company should not make such a check for the following reasons:

- 1) the company is not in the microphone security survey business;
- 2) highly classified techniques are involved which should not be disclosed;
- 3) considerable specialized equipment is necessary to do this work which the telephone company does not now possess;
- 4) it would be better for the Postmaster General to solicit the cooperation of an outstanding security organization such as the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Hampton advised that he will keep the Bureau posted on the outcome of the information being supplied to the Postmaster General.

RECOMMENDATION:

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1 - Mr. Belmont (attention: [])

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*[Signature]**[Signature]**[Signature]*

Security of Telephone Services

Memo R. L. Millen to I. W. Conrad
Re: Telephone Company Security Check of
Office Telephone Lines of Postmaster
General J. Edward Day.

ADDENDUM:

In view of the excellent relations the Director has established with [redacted], it is suggested that through liaison with his office, we offer to make a microphone security check of his office and offer to install counter-measures in his telephones which will prevent their being used as microphones to pick up conversation.

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W. J. Parsons
D. J. Parsons 1/27/61

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discussed with [redacted] 2/1/61
who stated he would discuss w/
Deputy P.M. G. and advise
Joe.

Done 6/5/61 (both check + install in office)

Joe

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : MR. PARSONS

DATE: February 9, 1961

FROM : A. ROSEN

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS

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With reference to the request of the Attorney General that immediate action be taken to secure the telephones utilized by the President as well as those at the Attorney General's residence, the following has been done.

[redacted] Special Assistant to the President, was contacted. He was completely amazed that his own security people at the White House hadn't brought this to his attention. He said this was obviously something that required immediate attention. [redacted] advised that the President's wife would be away from the White House on Friday, February 10 and he asked that our Laboratory people make a prompt check of the telephone instruments utilized by the President in his living quarters to insure that these telephones are properly secure. The President will be out of his office Saturday afternoon. [redacted] requested that our Laboratory people check the telephone in the President's office as well as the telephones in the offices of his principal assistants; namely, [redacted] himself, Special Counsel to the President Sorensen, Press Secretary [redacted] and the office of [redacted] assistant, [redacted]

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[redacted] said he would be in his office both Friday and Saturday afternoon to assist our Laboratory experts in getting access to the necessary space at the White House.

[redacted] stated the telephone system at the White House is completely inadequate and does not begin to meet the President's needs. Accordingly, [redacted] has made contact with the telephone company and has had them draw up a proposed plan for replacement of the present telephone system with a modern one. [redacted] expects the telephone company to submit this proposed plan not later than the first of next week. He said he would greatly appreciate it if our Laboratory experts could look over the telephone company plans in order that [redacted] might have the benefit of any comments which the Bureau would care to make as to the security of the proposed telephone system.

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Memorandum to Mr. Parsons

With reference to the security of the telephones at the Attorney General's residence, [REDACTED] is making arrangements for this to be done by the Laboratory at a time when there will not be any outsiders at the Kennedy residence.

ACTION BEING TAKEN

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If approved, the Laboratory will comply with [REDACTED] request.

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TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

DATE: March 1, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: SECURITY SURVEY
 ROOM E16
 UNITED STATES CAPITOL BUILDING
 HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE
 FOR DEFENSE

In accordance with arrangements made by Assistant Director N. P. Callahan, SA's [redacted] and [redacted] on 2-28-61, made a survey for concealed microphones in Room E16 of the U. S. Capitol Building where testimony is held regarding the budgets of Defense Department agencies. As requested by [redacted], the survey was limited to those locations where concealment of clandestine listening devices would be most likely. The survey included the check of two telephone instruments for possible alteration so that they could be used to overhear room conversation when the phones were not in use.

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Mr. Callahan was present throughout the survey. At its conclusion, he advised [redacted] that no evidence of concealed listening devices had been discovered.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

- 1 - Mr. Mohr
 1 - Mr. Callahan

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TO : MR. MOHR

DATE: February 27, 1961

FROM : N. P. CALLAHAN *med*

SUBJECT: HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
REQUEST FOR SECURITY CHECK
ROOM F16, CAPITOL BUILDING

Referral/Direct

As you know, we have run such a check within the last 10 days on Room B25 where the Director will appear for hearings and we have in the past years run similar security checks on certain other of the Appropriations Committee hearing rooms. A check with the Laboratory Division indicates that Laboratory technicians would be available to handle this check which Sprankle requested be handled on the afternoon of Tuesday, February 28, any time after 4:00 p.m. if possible.

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b7CRECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended we accede to request and conduct the security check of Room F16.

1 - Mr. Conrad (Sent Direct)
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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: February 27, 1961

FROM : R. L. Miller

SUBJECT: WHITE HOUSE TELEPHONE SWITCHBOARD FACILITIES
COMMERCIAL PROPOSAL CONCERNING

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White House representatives have requested the local Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company to submit a proposal which would provide expansion of the present White House telephone switchboard facilities. A proposal in brochure form has been prepared and submitted to the White House.

Security of Telephone Service
White House representatives have furnished this brochure to Assistant Director Evans for any comment which the Bureau may care to make regarding security of the telephone company's proposal.

Review of this brochure reveals that it is nondetailed, nontechnical and nonspecific with regards to actual installation of equipment, instruments, lines and cables. It does propose in the language of the telephone company's commercial department to effect an expansion of the present small switchboard in the White House by physically removing the board from the White House and incorporating it with a much larger switchboard facility, which still contains expansion capabilities, located in the nearby Executive Office Building. Cost figures as well as an enumeration of the apportionment of lines is set forth in tabular form for consideration. Initiating this move would permit expansion of lines serving the White House. Since no technical detail is set forth in this commercial proposal, no further analysis is possible other than to observe that consolidation of the present White House switchboard with the larger Executive Office switchboard with the resultant removal of the present switchboard from the White House proper necessarily requires the telephone cables and lines serving the White House to be routed through the nearby Executive Office Building. From the standpoint of wire line security, it is imperative, therefore, that the proposed consolidated switchboard facilities, telephone cables, terminals and associated equipment all must be afforded a high level of physical security equal to that which is presently applied to the equipment and switchboard facilities now located within the White House proper.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the above observations be made available to Assistant Director Evans for assistance when he returns the telephone company brochure to representatives of the White House.

1 - Mr. Evans

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INTERDEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON INTERNAL SECURITY

ROOM 2521, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE BUILDING
WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

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MAR 9 1961

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Reference is made to previous correspondence regarding security of telephone lines. On December 12, 1955, the Chairman of the Interdepartmental Committee on Internal Security advised you of the request made to the General Services Administration that ICIS be advised of the possibility of the appearances of U. S. Government telephone lines on the premises of foreign establishments in U. S. cities other than Washington, D. C. At that time GSA indicated that it would make a survey of foreign establishments with the end in view of removing appearances of U. S. Government lines from the cabling of those establishments.

The ICIS has recently discussed this matter, in consultation with experts from GSA, the Department of Defense, and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. In the course of these discussions it became apparent to the members of the ICIS that although the problem of "multiple appearances" constitutes an internal security danger, the significance of this danger has been considerably diminished by the development of more refined techniques for the exploitation of telephone lines and instruments for clandestine listening purposes. Furthermore, ICIS is mindful that security regulations forbid the discussion of classified information on telephone lines, and that, therefore, the removal of multiple appearances should yield only marginal benefits. The fact that sensitive agencies do make some efforts to check their telephone lines, to detect interference, if any, together with the advanced techniques mentioned above, have led ICIS to conclude that there is not adequate justification for pursuing further the problem of multiple appearances of telephone lines.

Sincerely yours,

John F. Doherty

John F. Doherty
Chairman, Interdepartmental Committee
on Internal Security

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: March 17, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: LABORATORY'S CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC (C & P)
TELEPHONE COMPANY CONTACT

On 3-17-61, [redacted] of the C & P Telephone Company, telephonically advised that he would no longer occupy that position. [redacted] has been moved laterally to the newly created position of "Director of Government Communication Services." This reorganizational move was necessary on the part of the company in order to permit Hampton to devote full time in his handling of Government telephone matters.

Due to his excellent relations with the Bureau, [redacted] has decided to retain all contacts of a highly confidential nature. Only the routine contacts need be cleared with [redacted] who will be the new [redacted]

This change in personnel will be announced in Washington newspapers on March 17 or 18, 1961. The Laboratory is extremely fortunate to be able to retain Hampton as a contact since his services have been invaluable.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Laboratory will continue to contact [redacted] on extremely confidential matters and will, when he so designates, handle routine matters through [redacted]

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The Attorney General

April 13, 1961

Director, FBI

1 - Mr. Millen
1 - Mr. Conrad
1 - Mr. Parsons

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

A security check of your office and residence telephone lines was completed on April 11, 1961, by FBI personnel. No evidence of tampering was observed at any of the points where access could be had to the lines.

You will be advised of any subsequent inspections of this type.

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FBI

NOTE: See memorandum Millen to Conrad dated 4/12/61, captioned 'TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, ATTORNEY GENERAL,' JMM:jjd.

NOTE: This letter classified ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ because of the nature of the work.

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: April 12, 1961

FROM : R. L. Miller

 SUBJECT: **TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
 ATTORNEY GENERAL**

On April 11, 1961, a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy was completed by Special Agents [redacted]. An inspection was made within the telephone company offices and at all other points of access to the lines except within the Attorney General's office and his residence. No evidence of tampering was observed.

RECOMMENDATION:
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A letter advising Attorney General is attached.

 1 [redacted]
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TO : Mr. Conrad

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DATE: April 12, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
OF RESIDENCE OF SENATOR JOHN L. McCLELLAN

On April 11, 1961, Electronics Section personnel completed a security check of the residence telephone lines of Senator John L. McClellan. This check was limited to points outside of the residence and telephone company exchange. No evidence of tampering was observed. [] will advise Senator McClellan.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

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From

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Deputy Attorney General
Solicitor General
Executive Assistant to the Attorney General...
Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust
Assistant Attorney General, Tax
Assistant Attorney General, Civil
Assistant Attorney General, Lands
Assistant Attorney General, Criminal
Assistant Attorney General, Legal Counsel....
Assistant Attorney General, Alien Property...
Assistant Attorney General, Internal Security .
Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights
Administrative Assistant Attorney General....
Director, F.B.I.
Director, Bureau of Prisons
Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization
Pardon Attorney
Parole Board
Board of Immigration Appeals
Director, Public Information
Records Administration Office

MEMORANDUM

April 25, 1961

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Would you check the other
Cabinet Officers?

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : The Attorney General

DATE: April 13, 1961

FROM : *MA* Director, FBISUBJECT: *SERVICES*
SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

A security check of your office and residence telephone lines was completed on April 11, 1961, by FBI personnel. No evidence of tampering was observed at any of the points where access could be had to the lines.

You will be advised of any subsequent inspections of this type.



Would you check the other Cabinet offices
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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: April 27, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

Reference is made to the Director's memorandum to the Attorney General dated April 13, 1961, reporting completion of a security check by FBI personnel of the Attorney General's office and residence telephone lines. The Attorney General noted, [] Would you check the other Cabinet Officers. RFK."

For the Director's information, we currently conduct a detailed security check on the residence and office telephone lines serving the Director, Mr. Tolson and Bureau officials each three months. In addition, we include the Attorney General and, at this time, Senator John L. McClellan.

The Bureau has no continuing telephone security check program for Cabinet Officers. Some Departments have their own technical staff. From a confidential source, we know that some Departments use their own men to conduct telephone security checks on their own lines. Such a check involves physical examination and electrical checking on all access points to the lines (such as in telephone exchange buildings, on poles, in basements of buildings, etc.) for the purpose of determining whether the line is tapped. This is contrasted to our countermeasure program (CM) in which we modify the telephone instrument itself to prevent its being used as a microphone to pick up room conversation when the instrument is on the hook. We do have a continuing countermeasure program and, as you know, since the first of the year there has been considerable activity in this program for Cabinet Officers due to the change in Administration.

The Laboratory is equipped to make telephone security checks and has in the past on special requests performed this type of work for several individual Cabinet members. From our experience, where only

1 - Mr. Belmont

1 - []

1 - Mr. Mohr

1 - Mr. DeLoach

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Memorandum to Mr. Conrad
Re: SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

one or two lines are involved, the security check may require as little as two man days. However, where numerous lines are involved, upwards of ten man days may be required to complete each security check.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That appropriate Liaison personnel contact the individual Cabinet Officers for the purpose of inquiring as to whether they desire that a telephone security check be made on their lines. If desired, the Liaison representative should work out a suitable time for the performance of the work.

Yes, J

2. Because of the potentially large amount of work which may be involved, the over-all request is being interpreted to encompass but a single check of each Cabinet Officer's lines rather than undertaking this security check on a continuing basis.

V.

Yes.

[Handwritten initials]

Mr. Byron R. White
Deputy Attorney General

May 10, 1961

Director, FBI

1 - Mr. Parsons
1 -
1 - Mr. McGrath
1 - Mr. Hurley

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SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES
IN THE OFFICE OF THE UNITED
STATES ATTORNEY, BOSTON,
MASSACHUSETTS

In line with your oral request of May 3, 1961, a security check of telephone lines in the Office of the United States Attorney at Boston, Massachusetts, was completed on May 9, 1961, by FBI personnel. No evidence of tampering was observed at any of the points where access could be had to the lines.

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For your further information, representatives of the United States Attorney's Office have complained of a loss of volume and cutoffs during telephone conversations. Representatives of the Telephone Company in Boston have advised that the telephone equipment utilized in the area of the city where the Federal Building is located is the oldest equipment still in use in Boston and this undoubtedly accounts for the complaints relative to the telephone service.

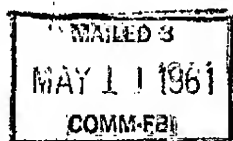
During the course of our check it was noted that the space in the Federal Building wherein the terminals for telephone lines to the United States Attorneys are located was unlocked. As a further security measure arrangements have been made to have this space kept under lock and key.

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1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Conrad
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The information contained herein was reported telephonically by the SAC at Boston on 5/10/61.

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May 12, 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK
SUBJECT: [REDACTED]
RE: [REDACTED]

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Congressman Clarence Cannon, Chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, called to express concern regarding the security of the room in which their meetings are held. He stated they were holding a very important meeting next Monday, that actually there would be two meetings, the first which was not so important would begin at 10:00 and end at 12:00 and the second meeting which was quite executive would begin at 12:00 and end at 2:00. I stated if agreeable to him, I would be glad to have our Laboratory expert check this room early Monday morning and inquired as to whom he should contact. Congressman Cannon indicated contact should be made with the Clerk of the Committee, Kenneth Sprinkle, and in the event he was not available then contact should be made with Paul Wilson. I told him that our Laboratory expert would be in touch with Mr. Sprinkle today to make arrangements for the check on Monday.

Mr. Parsons has been advised of the above and will take the necessary action.

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Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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cc - Mr. Ingram

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| BY | [Signature] |

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TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: May 11, 1961

FROM : R. O. L'Allier

SUBJECT: SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

SERVICES

Reference is made to Millen to Conrad memorandum dated April 27, 1961, recommending that Liaison contact individual Cabinet Officers to determine whether they desire that a telephone security check be made of their lines. The Director noted "Yes. H." These contacts have been made with the following results:

AGENCYSERVICE REQUESTED

Commerce

Security check of office phones and installation of countermeasure devices.

Health, Education and Welfare

Check of office phones and installation of countermeasure devices.

State

None. Handled by State personnel.

Post Office

None.

Interior

Check of office and home phones.

Treasury

None. Handled by Treasury personnel.

Secretary of Defense

Check of office and home phones.

The Secretaries of Labor and Agriculture have been contacted by Liaison but have not yet indicated their preference in having this work performed.

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- 1 - Mr. Parsons
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Evans
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. Millen
- 1 - Liaison
- 1 - Mr. Haynes

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H. J. HARRIS
LIAISON

OVER

50 MAY 23 1961

Memorandum L'Allier to Belmont
Re: SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

The Liaison Section is working out suitable times for the Laboratory to perform the telephone security check.

ACTION:

Liaison will follow with Labor and Agriculture to determine the Secretaries' desires in this regard and complete arrangements as to suitable times to perform the work.

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→ Both have advised that they
desire security check, Lab
advised and handling RHH

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT *adho*

DATE: May 17, 1961

FROM : R. O. L'ALLIER *L'*

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR SECURITY CHECKS OF

TELEPHONE LINES OF [REDACTED]
ADMINISTRATOR - VETERANS ADMINISTRATION (VA)

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On 5/16/61 Liaison Agent while at the VA received a request to contact [REDACTED] indicated that he would be extremely appreciative if the Bureau could find time to perform a security check on his telephone lines in Room 1006, VA Building. [REDACTED] stated that he has no suspicions that his line is tapped; however, it would add to his peace of mind knowing that the Bureau had performed this service for him. No commitment concerning his request was made to [REDACTED] however, Liaison Agent indicated he would promptly look into the feasibility of such a security check. b6
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Bureau files show considerable cordial correspondence was exchanged between the Director and [REDACTED] during the course of [REDACTED] tenure as National Commander of the American Legion (1957-58). [REDACTED] has met the Director; addressed the 61st Session of the FBI National Academy; and has been most commendatory in his remarks concerning the Bureau.

ACTION:

In view of cordial relations that exist between the Director and [REDACTED] it is recommended that the Laboratory perform this service for [REDACTED] If you approve, Liaison will so inform [REDACTED] and arrange a suitable time for this check.

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JOC:sap (7) *car*

- 1-Mr. Parsons
- 1-Mr. Belmont
- 1-Mr. Conrad
- 1-Mr. Millen (Attention: [REDACTED])
- 1-Liaison Section
- 1-Mr. O'Connor

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Handwritten: L'Allier
O'Connor

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*TO : Mr. Conrad *JC*

DATE: May 15, 1961

FROM : R. L. Miller *RLM*SUBJECT: SECURITY CHECK *SURVEYS*

ROOM E16

HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

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Reference is made to the call from Congressman Clarence Cannon, Chairman of the House Appropriations Committee to the Director May 12, 1961, in which Congressman Cannon expressed his desire to have a hearing room checked from a security standpoint. The Director advised that this would be done by the Laboratory early on Monday morning.

By previous arrangements with [redacted] a Laboratory security team consisting of Special Agents [redacted] and [redacted] conducted a survey for concealed microphones between the hours 6:15 AM and 8:20 AM Monday, May 15, 1961. As was reported to your office immediately upon completion of this survey, no evidence of concealed listening devices was noted.

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RECOMMENDATION:For information. *mm*

- 1 - Mr. Callahan
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Mohr

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ADDENDUM: IWC:DMG 5/15/61

Per [redacted] request, the present check like those we have made in the past was limited to a search of the most likely places, inasmuch as access was not possible to certain of the adjoining rooms. Mr. Callahan has separately advised [redacted] of the results and Mr. Parsons and the Director were separately advised by note immediately upon completion of the check.

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Mr. Parsons _____
Mr. Mohr _____
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Mr. DeLoach _____
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Mr. W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Mr. Ingram _____
Miss Gandy _____

May 15, 1961

MR. PARSONS:

Reference is made to the
telephone call to the Director from
Congressman Clarence Cannon, Chair-
man of the House Appropriations
Committee on May 12, 1961.

A security check was completed
by the Laboratory at 8:15 a.m. today for
concealed listening devices in the meeting
room, F16, but no devices were found.

I. W. Conrad

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8 MAY 26 1961

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad *WCE*

DATE: May 22, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES *SERVICES*

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Reference is made to my memorandum to you dated 4-27-61, recommending (as a result of the Attorney General's request) that the Bureau's Liaison personnel determine whether individual Cabinet officers desire a security check of their office and residence telephone lines and that a suitable time be arranged for the work. The Director approved.

On 5-19-61, and 5-22-61, as a result of arrangements made by the Liaison Section, Electronics Section personnel made a security check of four office telephone lines of Secretary of Labor Arthur J. Goldberg. No evidence of tampering was found at any point where access could be had to the lines. Mr. Goldberg will advise the Bureau if he desires a check of his residence telephone lines.

At the request of Secretary Goldberg, countermeasures were installed in four office telephone instruments. His personal secretary, Miss Helen May, has been advised of the necessity of keeping the Bureau informed as to any changes in these particular telephone instruments.

No one in Secretary Goldberg's office has been advised of the results of the security check.

RECOMMENDATION:

Letter advising Secretary Goldberg is attached.

Endosure *sent 5-23-61*

1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention: Mr. L'Allier)
1 - Bureau file 80-805
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BY LIAISON

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Honorable Arthur J. Goldberg
The Secretary of Labor
Washington 25, D. C.

My dear Mr. Goldberg:

Pursuant to your request a security survey of your
office telephone lines was completed on May 22, 1961. I
am happy to report that no evidence of tampering was found
at any point where access could be had to these lines.

Sincerely yours,

1 - Mr. Belmont (Attention: Mr. L'Allier)

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NOTE: This letter is classified ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ because of the
nature of the work.

NOTE: See memo [redacted] Mr. Conrad dated 5-22-61, captioned
"Security of Telephone Lines," JMM:pcc.

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TO : Mr. L'Allier *L 1913*

DATE: May 18, 1961

FROM :

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b7CSUBJECT: SECURITY OF TELEPHONE SERVICES *LINES*

Reference is made to my memorandum of May 11 outlining requests of Cabinet members for FBI checks to assure security of their telephone lines.

On May 16, 1961, [redacted] to Honorable Arthur Goldberg, Secretary of Labor, contacted Liaison to advise that after some consideration Mr. Goldberg had decided that he would like to have the FBI check the security of his telephone line at the office and to take whatever measures may be necessary as countermeasures against unwarranted intrusion. [redacted] suggested Monday morning, May 22, as a convenient time, inasmuch as the Secretary will be out of the city and we can have as much time in his office as we need. After checking with the Laboratory, it was determined that this date can be scheduled without interfering with other activities and arrangements were made for our man to have access to the Secretary of Labor's office from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. on that date.

ACTION:

Refer to Electronics Section, FBI Laboratory.

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Millen
- 1 - Liaison
- 1 - [redacted]

*check made and
 scms installed
 5/22/61 jmm*

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EX-101

MAY 25 1961

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*Memo to Chief
 5-22-61
 9:00 AM
 Let to Sullivan
 5-23-61
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SECRETARY OF LABOR
WASHINGTON

May 25, 1961

Mr. Tolson
Mr. Parsons
Mr. Mohr
Mr. Belmont
Mr. Callahan
Mr. Conrad
Mr. DeLoach
Mr. Evans
Mr. Malone
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Tavel
Mr. Trotter
Mr. W.C. Sullivan
Tele. Room
Mr. Ingram
Miss Gandy

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Thank you for your note of May 23rd.

I appreciate you having this matter taken care of
for me.

Cordially,

Arthur J. Goldberg

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover
and Assistant General
Investigator
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Pursuant to your request, a security survey of
your office telephone lines and those of Deputy Assistant
General Investigator J. Edgar Hoover was completed by Federal
Bureau of Investigation personnel on June 5, 1961. I am
glad to report that no evidence of tampering was found
at any point where access could be had to the lines.

Sincerely yours,

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1 - Mr. Sullivan (Attn: Mr. L'Allier)
1 - Mr. O'Connor

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NOTE: See memo to Mr. L'Allier dated 5/7/61, captioned
"Telephone Lines, J. Edgar Hoover".
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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad *JC*

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

DATE: June 7, 1961

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Reference is made to my memorandum to you dated 4-27-61 recommending (as a result of the Attorney General's request) that Liaison Section personnel determine whether individual Cabinet officers were desirous of having a security check made of their office and/or residence telephone lines and arrange a suitable time for the work. The Director approved.

On May 31, 1961 and June 2 and 5, 1961, as a result of Liaison Section arrangements, Electronics Section personnel made a security check of fourteen office telephone lines of Postmaster General J. Edward Day and Deputy Postmaster General Hiram W. Brawley. No evidence of tampering was found at any point where access could be had to the lines. No request was made for a residence telephone check.

At the request of Postmaster General Day, countermeasures were installed in two office telephone instruments.

No one has been advised of the results of this check.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising Postmaster General Day is attached.

Enclosure *sent 6-7-61*

1 - Mr. O'Connor

1 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. L'Allier)

1 - Bureau File 80-805

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TO : Mr. Sullivan *WCS*

DATE: June 6, 1961

FROM : R. O. L'Allier *H/DN*SUBJECT: *O* SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINESSERVICES *Millen* *RLM* *5/11/61*

Reference is made to L'Allier to Mr. Belmont memorandum dated 5/11/61, captioned "Security of Telephone Lines," which indicated the Postmaster General did not desire to have a security check made of his telephone lines.

On 5/26/61, Chief Postal Inspector Montague advised Liaison that Mr. Day, Postmaster General, had reconsidered the Bureau's offer and wished to have the Bureau conduct a telephone security check, as well as an installation of a countermeasure device which would prevent the telephone from being used as a microphone when it is not in use. Inspector Montague also requested that in accordance with the wishes of Deputy Postmaster General Hiram W. Brawley, a telephone security check be made of Brawley's office lines only.

This matter has been coordinated with Mr. Matter of the Laboratory.

ACTION:

Refer this memorandum to the Laboratory Division for its information and action.

1-Mr. Belmont
 1-Mr. Conrad
 1-Mr. Sullivan
 1-Mr. Millen
 1-Mr. O'Connor
 1-Liaison

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 Security Check of
 Mr. Day's and Brawley's
 Office lines made
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SAC, Springfield (66-139)

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SECURITY CHECK OF TELEPHONE LINES

Reurlet 5/26/61, requesting the Bureau to reconsider the instruction which directed that a security check be made annually by a sound-trained Agent of the resident agency offices' telephone lines.

The Bureau has weighed your observations and considers the advantages which accrue from the sound-trained agent's contacts to outweigh the disadvantages cited. Accordingly, the Bureau is not making a change in this requirement at this time.

In connection with the use of sound-trained agents and field sound equipment, experience in the past has shown that maximum utility of the specialized sound training and of the technical equipment supplied to each office is realized when the sound-trained agent is assigned to the headquarters city. This fact has been taken into consideration in the selection of candidates currently being trained in additional special sound schools. In the future in the event the handling of technical security check work in your division becomes increasingly difficult the possibility of reassigning one of the newly trained personnel should be kept in mind.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTEN: FBI LABORATORY

DATE: 5-26-61

FROM : SAC, SPRINGFIELD (66-189)

SUBJECT: SECURITY CHECK OF TELEPHONE
AND TELETYPE LINES

Re No Number SAC Letter 58-K, June 23, 1958, and to that portion which instituted the following instructions: "On an annual basis at Resident Agencies where offices are located in Government or commercial buildings -----" a sound-trained agent shall make security checks of the telephone lines.

I am requesting the Bureau, at this time, to reconsider this instruction with a view toward abolishing it. In the Springfield Division there are 12 resident agencies and only one sound-trained agent in addition to the SAC, who has had sound training. For the sound-trained agent in the Springfield Division it is conservatively estimated that this annual check requires 1450 miles of travel and consumes, during a year's time, approximately one calendar month of the sound-trained agent's time.

It is felt that the benefit achieved from these checks in resident agencies is disproportionate to the time and expense involved. All that is actually accomplished is to determine that there is no tap in existence on a RA line on the particular day that the check is made since RA lines do not come into resident agencies in sealed cables and with other protection such as is afforded to a headquarters establishment.

Contact with telephone company officials and necessary personnel as a liaison function is, of course, excellent and it is believed that the requirement that Senior Resident Agents and SACs should be required to have liaison contacts with telephone company officials should be maintained.

If the Bureau is unable to accede to my request that this annual check by a sound-trained agent be abolished, the Bureau is requested to at least modify the requirement to

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1 - Springfield
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permit the Senior Resident Agent to contact the telephone company and with the aid of a trained individual, such as a Wire Chief, to make the necessary annual check.

This communication should not be construed as recommending any change whatsoever in security precautions in effect with respect to headquarters telephone and teletype systems.

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DATE 04-13-2011

June 23, 1961

BY LIAISON

Honorable Luther Hodges
The Secretary of Commerce
Washington 25, D.C.

My dear Mr. Hodges:

Pursuant to your request, a security survey of your residence telephone lines was completed by Federal Bureau of Investigation personnel on June 22, 1961. Also completed on that date was a security check of the residence telephone line of your personal secretary, Mrs. Margaret L. Tyler.

I am glad to report that no evidence of tampering was found at any point where access could be had to these lines.

Inasmuch as work is being done by the telephone company on your office lines, no check will be conducted at this time. You will be advised when a security check of your office lines has been completed.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. Tolson _____
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2 - Mr. Sullivan (1 - Mr. L'Aillier; 1 - Mr. Haynes)

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Memorandum*W.C.*
TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: June 22, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: *0* SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

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Reference is made to my memorandum to you dated 4/27/61, recommending (as a result of the Attorney General's request) that Liaison Section personnel determine whether individual Cabinet officers were desirous of having a security check made of their office and/or residence telephone lines and arrange a suitable time for the work. The Director approved.

On June 1, 12, 13, 14 and 22, 1961, as a result of Liaison Section arrangements, Electronics Section personnel made a security check of two residence telephone lines of Secretary of Commerce Luther Hodges. At the request of Secretary Hodges, the residence telephone line of his personal secretary, [REDACTED] was also checked since she handles many of his calls after regular working hours. No evidence of tampering was found at any point where access could be had to the lines.

At the request of Secretary Hodges, no countermeasures were installed in his or [REDACTED] residence telephone instruments.

Secretary Hodges' office telephone lines are to be changed in the very near future. At the request of Security Officer [REDACTED] the security check of the office telephone lines is not being made until the completion of the telephone work.

No one has been advised of the results of this check.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising Secretary Hodges is attached.

2 - Mr. Sullivan (1 - Mr. L'Allier; 1 - Mr. Haynes)

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June 28, 1961

BY LIAISON

Honorable Robert S. McNamara
The Secretary of Defense
Washington 25, D. C.

My dear Mr. McNamara:

Pursuant to your request, a Security survey of
your office and residence telephone lines was completed
by Federal Bureau of Investigation personnel on June 28,
1961. I am glad to report that no evidence of tampering
was found at any point where access could be had to the
lines.

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Sincerely yours, JUN 30 1961

2 - Mr. Sullivan (1 - Mr. L'Aillier; 1 - Mr. Wells)
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NOTE: See memo Millen to Conrad dated 6/28/61
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TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

DATE: June 28, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

Miller RLM

As you know, in accordance with a request of the Attorney General, we have been making a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of the various Cabinet officers.

We have now completed the check of ten office and four residence telephone lines of Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara. No evidence of tampering was found at any point where access could be had to the lines.

At the request of [] Director of Security Services, countermeasures were installed in two office and three residence telephone instruments.

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[] has been advised of the results of this check.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising Secretary of Defense McNamara is attached.

Enclosure *sent 6-29-61*
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2 - Mr. Sullivan (1 - Mr. L'Allier; 1 - Mr. Wells)

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July 5, 1961

BY LIAISON

Honorable John S. Gleason, Jr.
Administrator of Veterans Affairs
Veterans Administration
Washington 25, D.C.

My dear Mr. Gleason:

Pursuant to your request, a security survey of your office telephone lines was completed by Federal Bureau of Investigation personnel on July 3, 1961. I am glad to report that no evidence of tampering was found at any point where access could be had to the lines.

Sincerely yours,

2 - Mr. Sullivan (1 - Mr. L'Allier; 1 - Mr. O'Connor)
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NOTE: See memo Millen to Mr. Conrad dated 7/3/61, captioned "Request for Security Check of Telephone Lines of [redacted] Administrator - Veterans Administration (VA)." WGS:jjd.

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SAC, Richmond

July 5, 1961

Director, FBI (62-97308)

SECURITY OF BUREAU TELEPHONE LINES

In the course of making a security survey of telephone facilities at the Bureau's relocation site, it is necessary for Electronics Section personnel of the FBI Laboratory to make a visual inspection of terminal appearances of certain lines. Two points at which this inspection must be conducted are (1) the American Telephone and Telegraph Company's repeater station on Plank Road in Fredericksburg, Virginia, and (2) the branch distribution box on Pole 1195 1/2 at Triangle, Virginia, through which American Telephone and Telegraph Company's (AT&T) cables pass. Access to facilities at these two locations cannot be had without proper authorization from appropriate AT&T officials.

It is requested that an Agent of your office immediately contact [redacted] District Office Supervisor [redacted] AT&T District Office, [redacted] Richmond, Virginia (phone Milton 3-9121), and arrange for clearance of Bureau personnel at these two locations on any one of the three days, July 20, 21 or 24, 1961.

SA's [redacted] will be the Agents conducting the check. [redacted] should be requested to make certain that AT&T authorization for access to the branch distribution (ED) box on Pole 1195 1/2 is made known to the Wire Chief of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company (C & P) exchange at 901 Prince Edward Street, Fredericksburg, Virginia (phone Essex 3-9966). C & P personnel, not AT&T employees, are the ones who travel to and open the ED box for inspection by Bureau Agents.

For your information, similar security surveys were conducted in 1959 and 1960 during which [redacted] was contacted by Bureau personnel at the time of the actual check. He has asked that he be informed in advance so that the necessary arrangements can be made for admission to AT&T facilities. [redacted] has afforded splendid cooperation in this matter and the Bureau's appreciation for such should be made known to him.

The Bureau will handle the necessary contact of C & P Company Officials to gain admittance to the C & P exchange at Fredericksburg. Unless advised to the contrary, Bureau Agents will go ahead with the survey as indicated.

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: July 3, 1961

FROM : R. L. Miller

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR SECURITY CHECK OF
 TELEPHONE LINES OF JOHN S. GLEASON, JR.
 ADMINISTRATOR - VETERANS ADMINISTRATION (VA)

As you will recall, [redacted] requested that a security check be made of his office telephone lines. Mr. Parsons (former Assistant to the Director) approved this check and instructed that it be made at [redacted] convenience. Electronics Section personnel were given access to [redacted] office on July 3, 1961, and have now completed the check of two office telephone lines of [redacted]

No evidence of tampering was found at any point where access could be had to the lines.

No request was made for a residence telephone check, or for the installation of telephone countermeasure devices.

No one has been advised of the results of this check.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising [redacted] is attached.

Enclosure sent 7-5-61

2 - Mr. Sullivan (1 - Mr. L'Allier; 1 - Mr. O'Connor)

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July 3, 1961

BY LIAISON

Honorable Abraham A. Ribicoff
The Secretary of Health, Education,
and Welfare
Washington 25, D. C.

My dear Mr. Ribicoff:

Pursuant to your request, a security survey of your
office telephone lines was completed by Federal Bureau of
Investigation personnel on June 30, 1961. I am glad to
report that no evidence of tampering was found at any point
where access could be had to the lines.

Sincerely yours,

62-97308

2 - Mr. Sullivan (1 - Mr. L'Allier; 1 - Mr. Haynes)

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NOTE: See memo Millen to Conrad dated 6/30/61, captioned
Security of Telephone Lines. JMM:jjd
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TO : Mr. Conrad *[Signature]*

DATE: June 30, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT:

0 SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES *Servants*

As you know, in accordance with a request of the Attorney General, we have been making a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of the various Cabinet officers.

We have now completed a check of five office telephone lines of Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare Abraham A. Ribicoff. No evidence of tampering was found at any point where access could be had to the lines.

At the request of Mr. Ribicoff, countermeasures were installed in his office telephone instruments.

No one has been advised of the results of this check.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare Ribicoff is attached.

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2 - Mr. Sullivan (1 - Mr. L'Allier; 1 - Mr. Haynes)

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OFFICE OF
THE ADMINISTRATOR OF
VETERANS AFFAIRS

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON

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Mr. Malone ✓
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Mr. Ingram ✓
Miss Gandy ✓

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Thank you very much for your letter
of July 5 reporting on the security survey of my
office telephone lines. I certainly appreciate this
service.

Sincerely,

Jack Gleason
J. S. GLEASON, JR.
Administrator

*Veterans Administration,
Washington, D.C.*

The Honorable
J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.

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The Attorney General

July 17, 1961

Director, FBI

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

Federal Bureau of Investigation personnel completed a security check of your office and residence telephone lines on July 14, 1961. Inspection was made at all points where access could be had to the lines. No evidence of tampering was observed.

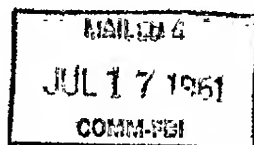
As subsequent checks of your lines are made, you will be advised.

1 - Mr. Evans

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NOTE: See memo Millen to Conrad dated 7-17-61, captioned Telephone Security Check, Attorney General.
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THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE
WASHINGTON



July 10, 1961

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Thank you very much for your letter of recent date informing me that my telephone lines have been checked. I appreciate your sending me this report.

Sincerely,

Abe Ribicoff

Secretary

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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
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TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : Mr. Conrad *g*DATE: July 13, 1961 *WLS*FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES *SERVICES*

As you know, in accordance with the request of the Attorney General, we have been conducting security checks of the office and residence telephone lines of various Cabinet officers.

We have now completed a check of six office and one residence telephone lines of Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall. No evidence of tampering was found at any point where access could be had to the lines.

We had installed countermeasure devices on Secretary Udall's office telephones at an earlier date. He did not request any countermeasures for his residence telephones.

No one has been advised of the results of this check.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising Secretary of Interior Udall is attached.

Enclosure *sent 7-14-61*

2 - Mr. Sullivan (1 - Mr. L'Allier, 1 - Mr. O'Connor)
1 - Bureau file 80-805

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-97308)
ATTENTION: ELECTRONICS SECTION

DATE: 7/13/61

FROM : SAC, RICHMOND (66-619)

SUBJECT: SECURITY OF BUREAU TELEPHONE LINES

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Reference is made to Bureau let to Richmond dated 7/5/61.

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[redacted] District Plant Superintendent, American Telephone and Telegraph Company (AT&T), District Office, [redacted] Richmond, Virginia advised SA [redacted] on July 7, 1961, that he would authorize Bureau personnel to make a visual inspection of the terminal appearances at the AT&T Repeater Station, Fredericksburg, Virginia and the Branch Distribution Box at Triangle, Virginia.

[redacted] stated that Bureau personnel should contact [redacted] Central Office Supervisor in charge of plant at [redacted] Virginia who is located at the AT&T Repeater Station on Plank Road, Fredericksburg, Virginia and that he would advise [redacted] that the Bureau personnel would contact him on July 20, 21 and 24, 1961, concerning the inspection of certain lines. [redacted] stated that if the Bureau personnel does that and the Wire Chief of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company (C&P), [redacted] Virginia received no authorization in this matter, that [redacted] would be instructed to authorize the Wire Chief to cooperate fully with the FBI.

For the information of the Bureau [redacted] is the supervisor of [redacted] District Office Supervisor, AT&T, [redacted] Virginia and [redacted] was present in [redacted] office when he was contacted by SA [redacted]

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July 14, 1961

BY LIAISON

Honorable Stewart L. Udall -
The Secretary of the Interior
Washington 25, D. C.

My dear Mr. Udall:

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Pursuant to your request a security survey of your
office and residence telephone lines was completed by
Federal Bureau of Investigation personnel on July 13, 1961.
I am glad to report that no evidence of tampering was found
at any point where access could be had to the lines.

Sincerely yours,

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2 - Mr. Sullivan (1 - Mr. L'Allier, 1 - Mr. O'Connor)

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NOTE: See memorandum Millen to Conrad dated 7-13-61, captioned
Security of Telephone Lines, JMM:pcc. Letter classified "~~Confidential~~"
in view of nature of information.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: July 17, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: 6 TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
ATTORNEY GENERAL

On 7-14-61, a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy was completed by SA [redacted]. No evidence of tampering was observed at any point where access could be had to the lines at the telephone exchanges, terminal boxes and the instruments themselves.

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RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising the Attorney General is attached.

Enclosure

1 - [redacted]

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TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: 7/26/61

FROM : SUBJECT: LEAKS OF INFORMATION TO THE UNDERWORLD

William X Foley, who is Acting Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Criminal Division, furnished the following information. He was accompanied by an attorney in the Organized Crime and Racketeering Section of the Department.

is an attorney in the Newport-Covington, Kentucky, area, who has represented the gambling and criminal element. An IRS informant reported information that had purchased a new Chrysler automobile which he was taking to Europe by ship allegedly on a vacation trip in Spain. Actually, the purpose of this trip is said to be to deposit \$350,000 in a numbered Swiss bank account.

This information was referred to the Organized Crime and Racketeering Section of the Department. Arrangements were made to have the automobile thoroughly searched by Customs officers before it was put on board ship and in addition, a thorough search of and their luggage was made. No money was found.

During the course of this search of he told the Customs agents that he knew the Attorney General was "after him" and that they expected to find money which he was supposed to deposit in a Swiss bank. believe this clearly shows had been "tipped

Previous information has been received by the Criminal Division indicating a possible leak to the underworld. An employee of the Atlanta Telephone Company was suspected of fraudulently making available long distance telephone lines to gamblers. The Telephone Company monitored these telephone calls and ascertained from the conversations that the gamblers were aware of an Internal Revenue Service indictment which was to be returned in New Orleans. Conversations also indicated a knowledge of the movement of a Departmental

- 1 - Mr. Rosen
 1 - Mr. Conrad

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SECURITY OF TELEPHONE SERVICE

Memorandum to Mr. Belmont
RE: LEAKS OF INFORMATION TO THE UNDERWORLD

attorney to the Cincinnati area in connection with the Department's work on organized crime.

All of this leads [] to believe that there is a leak of information. They have strong suspicions that this leak is in the Internal Revenue Service. They recognize, however, that all of the specific information noted above could have come from the Department and could have been developed if there were a tap on the Department's telephone lines. b6 b7C

[] said that prior to making an issue of this matter and in effect accusing the Internal Revenue Service of having a "leak", he would like to make certain there is no evidence the Department's telephones have been tapped. Because telephone company employees have been involved in other cases where they were bribed by gamblers it was not felt that the telephone company should be asked to make this check. [] inquired as to whether it would be possible for the Bureau Laboratory to do this. He was told that a check would be made and he would be advised.

ACTION TO BE TAKEN:

It has been ascertained from the Laboratory that to check the pertinent telephone lines in the Department would take one of our experts about two or three days. Since the information in the specific cases cited was the subject of telephone conversations with the Department immediately prior to its becoming known to the gamblers, there would appear to be some logic to making this check. The situation also has the advantage of making the Department more security conscious and they may desist from their past practice of insisting on a full disclosure of information developed in our reports to the Internal Revenue Service.

Under these circumstances in view of the limited amount of work involved, it is believed it would be to our advantage to comply with the Criminal Division request.

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Electronics
Section, FBI
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7/27/61

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: July 13, 1961

FROM : A. Rosen

SUBJECT: ALLEGED WIRE TAPPING BY
FBI AND POSSIBLE TAPPING OF
FBI TELEPHONE LINES

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A Miami informant has advised that [redacted] recently stated the FBI is tapping the telephones of "patriotic organizations." [redacted] said the FBI has overlooked one thing which is that the "patriotic organizations" also have good telephone men and electricians and it might be possible that the "patriotic organizations" are listening in on conversations of the FBI.

[redacted] is attorney for the National States Rights Party (NSRP), a hate-type organization, and Imperial Wizard of the Christian Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. [redacted] has made reliable statements in the past which were not based on fact.

With regard to the allegation that the FBI is tapping telephones of "patriotic organizations" this is not true. The allegation that the "patriotic organizations" might possibly be tapping FBI telephone lines, if true, would affect security investigations and criminal investigations as well as the over-all work of the Bureau involving the use of telephones. This matter was discussed with the Laboratory Division which made the following comments:

There is a present requirement that field office telephone lines be checked quarterly and resident agency lines annually. These security checks should not be performed on such a highly regular basis that a pattern is established as to the time they are conducted. As you are aware, these checks are a precautionary measure and cannot guarantee absolute security of office and resident agency lines. Since these checks guarantee security only at the time they are performed, personnel should be most circumspect as to the nature of their conversation over outside telephone lines.

Enclosure sent 7-17-61

1 - Mr. Mohr

1 - Mr. Malone

1 - Mr. Sullivan

1 - Mr. Tavel

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SECURITY OF TELEPHONE SERVICES

Memorandum to Mr. Belmont
RE: ALLEGED WIRE TAPPING BY
FBI AND POSSIBLE TAPPING OF
FBI TELEPHONE LINES

The above requirement regarding the frequency of security checks represents the maximum interval between security checks. However, these checks may be made at more frequent intervals if there are substantial reasons for believing that Bureau lines may be subject to tampering.

Inasmuch as a security check requires a review of confidential telephone company records and physical observation of the Bureau's telephone lines located within the telephone company central office, (a space accessible only to telephone company employees) it is necessary to have the cooperation of the telephone company officials and craftsmen. Careful consideration, therefore, should be given to the attitude and background, particularly regarding security, racial and criminal matters, of local telephone company employees contacted in that these individuals are also in a position to assist any person or group interested in tapping telephones.

ACTION TAKEN

There is attached a suggested SAC letter again alerting all offices to insure that appropriate precautions are taken concerning the security of telephone lines utilized by the Bureau.

[Handwritten signatures and initials]

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(C) TELEPHONES - SECURITY OF FBI TELEPHONE LINES -- Individuals having background as telephone men and electricians could be a good source of information to individuals or organizations engaged in subversive, criminal or racial activities if these individuals or organizations choose to use their training and background in an attempt to monitor FBI telephone facilities. Therefore, you are instructed to immediately review the security procedures involving telephone lines used by your office to insure that maximum security is maintained.

There is a present requirement that field office telephone lines be checked quarterly and resident agency lines annually. These security checks should not be performed on such a highly regular basis that a pattern is established as to the time they are conducted. As you are aware, these checks are a precautionary measure and cannot guarantee absolute security of office and resident agency lines. Since these checks guarantee security only at the time they are performed, personnel should be most circumspect as to the nature of their conversation over outside telephone lines.

It is noted that a security check of telephone lines requires a review of confidential telephone company records and physical observation of the Bureau telephone lines located with the telephone company central office (a space accessible only to telephone company employees), and it is necessary to have the cooperation of the telephone company officials and craftsmen. Careful consideration, therefore, should be given to the attitude and background, particularly regarding security, racial and criminal matters, of local telephone company employees contacted in that these individuals are also in a position to assist any person or group interested in tapping telephones.

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TO : Mr. Conrad *CC*

DATE: August 4, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: LEAKS OF INFORMATION TO
THE UNDERWORLD

62-97308-247

Reference is made to Assistant Director Evans' memorandum to Mr. Belmont 7/26/61, reporting the request of Acting Assistant Attorney General William Foley, Criminal Division, that the telephone lines in the Organized Crime and Racketeering Section of the Department be checked for possible taps. This request was initiated by the Department after [redacted] an attorney who has represented the gambling and criminal element in the Newport - Covington, Kentucky area, is reported to have made remarks to Customs Agents clearly indicating that [redacted] had been "tipped off." This request was approved by the Director.

Electronics Section Supervisors [redacted] conferred with Messrs. [redacted] an attorney in the Organized Crime and Racketeering Section of the Department, who furnished a list of the extensions they desired checked. Accordingly, on July 31, and August 1-3, 1961, inclusive, Agents made a check of the telephones and associated equipment. The survey was limited to a check for possible taps in areas outlined by the attorneys during the conference.

The survey covered 55 Department of Justice extensions and one private unlisted number, including certain extensions not incorporated in the list originally supplied by the Department because of their having been integrated into systems and equipment furnishing service to the listed Justice extensions. The survey revealed no evidence of tampering at any point where access could be had to the lines.

The Department is not aware of the results of this survey. Accordingly, it is suggested that Assistant Director Evans may wish to advise the Department that the security survey has been completed and that there was no evidence of unauthorized connections to the telephone lines.

1 - Mr. Belmont

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Memorandum to Mr. Conrad
RE: LEAKS OF INFORMATION TO
THE UNDERWORLD

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that Assistant Director Evans advise the Department that the requested security survey in the Organized Crime and Racketeering Section of the Department has been completed and that there was no evidence of tampering at any point where access could be had to the lines.

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[Signature]

[Signature]

*Mr. Foley
advised of
results of
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TO : Mr. Evans *Can*DATE: 8/4/61 *W. J. Sullivan*FROM : C. H. Stanley *CHS*

SUBJECT: ~~LEAKS OF INFORMATION TO~~
~~THE UNDERWORLD~~

Telephone Security Check -

With reference to the attached memorandum from R. L. Millen to Mr. Conrad, dated August 4, 1961, setting forth the results of a survey made concerning telephone lines in the Organized Crime and Racketeering Section of the Department, Mr. William Foley, Acting Assistant Attorney General, was furnished with the results. (8-4-61)

Mr. Foley specifically stated that he wanted to express their appreciation for the Bureau's quick response in this matter and for the assistance rendered to them.

Enclosure

1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Conrad

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The Attorney General

October 12, 1961

Director, FBI

SECURITY
SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

Federal Bureau of Investigation personnel completed a security check of your office and residence telephone lines on October 9, 1961. Inspection was made at line access points outside of the office, residence and telephone company exchanges. No evidence of tampering was observed.

As subsequent checks of your lines are made, you will be advised.

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1 - Mr. Belmont

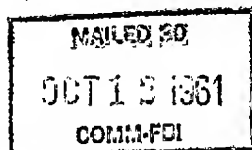
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NOTE: See memorandum Millen to Conrad dated 10-11-61, captioned "TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, ATTORNEY GENERAL," RAM:pcc. Memorandum classified ~~Confidential~~ because of the nature of the work.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad *W*

DATE: October 11, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
ATTORNEY GENERAL

On October 9, 1961, a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy was completed by Electronics Section personnel. This check was limited to line access points outside the office, residence and telephone company exchanges. No evidence of tampering was observed.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising the Attorney General is attached.

sent 10-12-61
 Enclosure

1 - Mr. Belmont

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TO : Mr. Conrad *VC*

DATE: October 12, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF THE
EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

Electronics Section employees have completed a security check of the telephone lines serving the residences of the Director and members of the Executives Conference. The check included inspection of lines at all places where access is possible except within residences and within telephone company controlled areas. No evidence of tampering was observed.

ACTION:

For information.

1 - Mr. Belmont

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: October 11, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS FOR
SENATOR JOHN L. MC CLELLAN

On October 9, 1961, Electronics Section personnel completed a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Senator John L. McClellan in accordance with a previously approved program of periodic checks for the Senator. This check was limited to line access points outside the office, residence and telephone company controlled areas. No evidence of tampering was observed.

ACTION:

Mr. Evans should advise the Senator as in the past.

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1 - Mr. Belmont

1 - [REDACTED]

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The Attorney General

December 18, 1961

Director, FBI

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

Federal Bureau of Investigation personnel completed a security check of your office and residence telephone lines on December 14, 1961. Inspection was made at all line access points outside of the office and residence. No evidence of tampering was observed.

As subsequent checks of your lines are made, you will be advised.

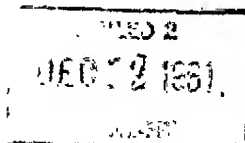
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Evans

NOTE: See memorandum R. L. Millen to Mr. Conrad dated 12-15-61, captioned "TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, ATTORNEY GENERAL," WEH:pcc. Memorandum classified ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ because of the nature of the work.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: December 15, 1961

FROM : R. L. Miller

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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On December 14, 1961, a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy was completed by Electronics Section personnel in accordance with a previously approved program of periodic checks for the Attorney General. No evidence of tampering was observed at any point where access could be had to the lines at the telephone exchanges or terminal boxes outside the office and residence.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising the Attorney General is attached.

Enclosure

1 - Mr. Belmont

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: December 14, 1961

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

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You will recall that earlier this year the Attorney General upon being notified of the completion of a routine security check of his telephone lines by Bureau personnel asked Assistant Director Courtney A. Evans to have a similar security check made of the telephones of other Cabinet members. Liaison contacted the Cabinet members' offices and arrangements were made to conduct a check for those who expressed a desire for this service.

For those desiring the security checks, surveys were conducted at both the offices and residences and reported by memoranda. These surveys have been concluded with the following exceptions:

1. Office telephones - Secretary of Commerce Hodges
2. Residence telephones - Secretary of Agriculture Freeman
3. Office telephones - Deputy Secretary of Defense Gilpatric.

Repeated contacts have been made with security officers of these three departments for the purpose of making office or residence premises available for the completion of these security checks. It has not been possible to effect arrangements in these three instances.

Review of the repeated efforts to arrange for access to these offices and the residence has led to the conclusion that it is not believed desirable that the Bureau should continue to contact these people for the purpose of attempting to complete the remaining checks.

ACTION:

Unless advised to the contrary, no further contact will be made with the Offices of the Department of Commerce, the Defense Department and the Department of Agriculture for the completion of the telephone checks indicated above. Should they initiate a request for these checks at a later date they will be made by the Laboratory.

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1 - Mr. Belmont

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1 - Mr. Sullivan (Attn: Mr. L'Allier)

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: January 2, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen RML

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF THE
EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

Electronics Section employees have completed a security check of the telephone lines serving the residences of the Director and members of the Executives Conference. The check included inspection of lines at all places where access is possible except within residences. No evidence of tampering was observed.

ACTION:

For information.

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1 - Mr. Belmont

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

DATE: January 2, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK FOR
SENATOR JOHN L. MC CLELLAN

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Electronics Section personnel have completed a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Senator John L. McClellan in accordance with a previously approved program of periodic checks for the Senator. This check was limited to line access points outside the office and residence. No evidence of tampering was observed.

ACTION:

[] should advise the Senator as in the past. *D ne 1-6-61*

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1 - Mr. Belmont

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: January 31, 1962

FROM : R. L. Miller

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SUBJECT: SECURITY SURVEY
ROOM F16
UNITED STATES CAPITOL BUILDING
HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE
FOR DEFENSE

In accordance with arrangements made by Assistant Director N. P. Callahan, SA's [REDACTED] on 1-31-62, made a survey for concealed listening devices in Room F16 in the United States Capitol Building where testimony is held regarding the budgets of Defense Department agencies.

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As requested by Committee Clerk [REDACTED] the survey was limited to those locations where concealment of such devices would be most likely. Two telephone instruments in the room were checked for possible alteration for use as a microphone to overhear room conversation.

Mr. Callahan advised [REDACTED] at the conclusion of the survey that no evidence of listening devices had been found.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

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- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Callahan

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: 1-29-62

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: GENERAL DWIGHT EISENHOWER

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Colonel Robert Schulz, Aide to General Eisenhower, called from Gettysburg at 9:25 a.m. this morning. He prefaced his remarks by apologizing over the fact that he did not know whether the request he intended to make was within the province of the Director's offer of assistance to General Eisenhower. He then stated that the General had remarked to him a number of times that he would deeply appreciate it if FBI experts would discreetly check the telephones at the General's Gettysburg farm. Colonel Schulz stated this would also include the telephones to his (Colonel Schulz) / apartment in the City of Gettysburg proper and the apartment of a Chief Warrant Officer who will replace [redacted] in the near future. [redacted] is leaving for personal reasons.

The Chief Warrant Officer referred to above who will replace [redacted] was formerly with General Eisenhower in Europe.

I told Colonel Schulz that I felt certain the Director would want to do this and I would be back in touch with him without delay. He asked that he be given at least twenty-four hours notice. He also asked that I accompany the Lab men if at all possible so that he could personally meet me and make a number of plans for the future. I told him that I would have to check with the Director in so far as my own personal trip to Gettysburg was concerned, however, would let him know.

Colonel Schulz asked that the above action be taken sometime this week if at all possible inasmuch as General Eisenhower will be gone and the check will not inconvenience him in any manner.

ACTION:

It is suggested that I call Colonel Schulz back and tell him the Director has instructed this action be taken and that we will await his convenience as to the time and date this week.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. Jones

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Suggest DeLoach go with 601-X3
Technicians - should take one day.
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CRIME RESEARCH

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: February 2, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: GENERAL DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER
(SECURITY CHECK OF TELEPHONES)

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Reference is made to Mr. DeLoach's 1/29/62 memorandum to Mr. Mohr recommending that Bureau personnel make a security check of the telephones of General Eisenhower at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. The Director approved.

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SAs [redacted] and [redacted] completed this survey during the period from 11 a.m., February 1, 1962, to 12:45 p.m., February 2, 1962. A total of 20 telephone instruments and 10 lines were involved at three locations, General Eisenhower's office at 300 Carlisle Street, Colonel Robert L. Schulz's apartment at [redacted] and Chief Warrant Officer [redacted]. The survey included an inspection of the lines not only at the location of the instruments but also at the telephone company offices and all other points where access could be had to the lines. No evidence of tampering was found.

Colonel Schulz advised that General Eisenhower had not requested that the telephone system at his residence on his Gettysburg farm be checked at this time. Neither Colonel Schulz nor Chief Warrant Officer [redacted] were available at the completion of this survey so that they could be informed of the results. Assistant Director DeLoach was advised immediately upon Special Agents Matter and Stevens' return to Washington.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

JMM:bwd

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- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan

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Col. Schulz
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: February 1, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen

1 - Mr. Mohr
1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. Brennan)
Room 841/RB

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK FOR
SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA

As you are aware, countermeasure (CM) devices have been installed in the office and residence telephones of the President, Cabinet members and other high officials of the Federal Government when specifically requested by them or their agency.

The individuals who have this equipment installed in their telephone instruments have been advised that the device is classified "~~Secret~~." They have been requested to notify the Bureau ahead of the telephone company repair department in case trouble develops in the telephone in which a CM is installed.

On this date, [redacted] Security Officer of the office of the Secretary of Defense advised that during the evening of 1-31-62, Mrs. McNamara upon attempting to use her residence telephone was able to hear another conversation on the telephone line. [redacted] related that pursuant to the previous request of the Bureau, he was reporting this matter and requested that the telephone line be checked on this date.

In accordance with your approval, the telephone facilities handling McNamara's residence were checked by Laboratory Supervisors. It was determined that telephone company employees were working on the telephone cable serving this residence during the pertinent period. This work was being done to provide the Secretary of Defense telephone facilities at his new residence. The telephone facilities serving McNamara's present residence were checked and no evidence of tampering was observed.

On this date, [redacted] was advised as to the findings of the Bureau.

ACTION:

For information.

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Memorandum*TO* : Mr. Conrad *J*

DATE: January 19, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

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TELEPHONE
SUBJECT: SECURITY CHECK
ROOM G323
HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

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On 1-19-62, SA's [redacted] in accordance with arrangements made by Assistant Director N. P. Callahan, conducted a survey for concealed listening devices in Room G323 in the U. S. Capitol Building. This is the new room in which matters on the Bureau's appropriations will be heard. The survey included a check of three telephone instruments for possible use as microphones to overhear room conversation.

Mr. Callahan was present throughout the survey. At its conclusion, he advised [redacted] Committee Clerk, that no evidence of concealed microphones had been discovered.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

62-97308.

- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Callahan
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: January 30, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: GENERAL DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER
(SECURITY CHECK OF TELEPHONES)

of Telephone Service

Reference is made to Mr. DeLoach's 1/29/62 memorandum to Mr. Mohr recommending that Bureau personnel make a security check of the telephones of General Eisenhower at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. The Director approved.

You will recall that some years ago, the Electronics Section developed a telephone countermeasure (CM) device as a security measure. This device prevents a telephone from being used as a microphone to overhear room conversation even though the telephone is hung up. Since 1950, these CM devices have been installed in the office and residence telephones of the President, Cabinet members and other high officials of the Federal Government when specifically requested by them or their agency. General Eisenhower's telephones were so protected when he was in the White House.

The CM device is classified "Secret." Because of this, it is desirable for the Bureau to be notified ahead of the telephone company repair department in case trouble develops in the telephone in which a CM device is installed. This permits Bureau personnel to remove the device before a repairman arrives and possibly removes the telephone instrument.

In connection with the survey for General Eisenhower it is suggested that it may be desirable to mention the possibility of being of further service to the General by installing CM devices in the telephones at his residence. If these instruments are made by the Western Electric Company, the CM installation can be made at the time of the survey. If the phones are other than Western Electric, parts will have to be obtained and the CM installation made at a later date.

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- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan

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Memorandum R. L. Millen to Mr. Conrad
RE: GENERAL DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER
(SECURITY CHECK OF TELEPHONES)

RECOMMENDATION:

It is suggested that the Director may wish to offer this further service to General Eisenhower. If so, arrangements will be made to make the installations on such phones as the General desires.

*I don't think the
General needs this
and its use should
be restricted to Washington D.C.
if possible*

[Signature]

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*V. J. concur.
[Signature]*

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: February 23, 1962

FROM : D. J. Brennan

SUBJECT: ~~SECURE COMMUNICATION LINE LINKING~~
BUREAU TO [REDACTED]

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. Tavel
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Wherry (Room 5537)
- 1 - Liaison

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: February 1, 1962

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: GENERAL DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER
GETTYSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA

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Pursuant to instructions, I drove to Gettysburg early this morning, accompanied by SAs Matter and Stevens of the Laboratory, at the request of Colonel Robert Schulz, aide to General Eisenhower. We met at the General's office 300 Carlyle Street, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, and after a brief inspection tour of the facilities, Messrs Matter and [redacted] began a thorough scrutiny of the telephone system not only at the office in town but additionally at the apartments of Col. Schulz and Chief Warrant Officer Good who will serve as the General's secretary when Mrs. Ann Whitman leaves early next month.

General Eisenhower will be in Los Angeles until early March, 1962. He will then return to Gettysburg. His private office and conference room is replete with souvenirs of his military and Presidential days. One of the more prominently placed items is the gold badge and plaque presented to him by the Director on the occasion of his speech before the National Academy graduation exercises. Col. Schulz told me that the General is prouder of this souvenir than any he knows of.

Col. Schulz was most cordial and during luncheon mentioned a number of items of interest. He stated that the General had been somewhat embarrassed on occasions as a result of so-called friends attempting to do him favors. As a specific example, he mentioned that transportation is often offered in various cities only to find out the next day that the person offering such transportation has leaked this to the newspapers for self-publicity. He stated on occasions transportation has been offered to the General, then later the individual offering the transportation would seek to have the General intercede in some type of a contract. Col. Schulz stated for these reasons, plus the tremendous respect the General has for the Director, General Eisenhower was most appreciative when Mr. Hoover wrote him he would be glad to be of any service. He stated the General desired to utilize FBI service more often if the Director would not feel this was an imposition.

I carefully outlined to Col. Schulz what I believe the Director has in mind in attempting to be of service to General Eisenhower. I told him the Director would want to be of every possible service and this, of course, included transportation. I told Col. Schulz that Mr. Hoover not only felt deep respect and friendship for General Eisenhower, but personally had always felt that the U. S. Government is very sadly lacking in taking care of ex-Presidents. Col. Schulz agreed most

1 - Mr. Conrad 1 - Mr. M. A. Jones

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Memo DeLoach to Mohr
Re: Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower
Gettysburg, Penn.

2/1/62

wholeheartedly. He stated within a period of five minutes following the inauguration, an ex-President's whole world collapses from under him. He reiterated that General Eisenhower was most grateful for the Director's kindnesses.

Col. Schulz brought up the subject of the Director and Mr. Tolson coming to Gettysburg. He stated General Eisenhower had often mentioned this possibility and he felt certain that in the early Spring the General would want to have the Director as his guest for luncheon at the Eisenhower farm. He stated the General would also take great delight in showing the Director around certain parts of the Gettysburg Battle Field.

Col. Schulz confided when the two of us were alone, that his greatest problem at Gettysburg is handling Mrs. Eisenhower. He stated she was quite temperamental and would not listen to reason on occasion. He mentioned she was quite possessive of the General and often insisted on talking with him regardless of who might be in the General's office at the time.

Col. Schulz told me that the General when in Gettysburg is in his office everyday and not only dictates a considerable amount of mail but additionally sees a large number of people. He is quite accustomed to a well disciplined schedule.

I talked briefly with Lt. Colonel John Eisenhower, the General's son who has an office right below that of his Father's. He, of course, is still in the service but is on loan to his Father for the purposes of writing a book covering his Father's life. Doubleday is handling the publishing of the book and has an employee assigned to Col. Eisenhower for assisting him in the writing.

It is believed that Col. Schulz is well aware of the Director's desire to be of assistance to General Eisenhower and that such assistance will probably pick up in the near future. Col. Schulz has both my office and home telephone numbers and I have told him the Director would want him to call me at any time day or night to be of service to General Eisenhower.

ACTION:

For information.

MR *2-1-62* *right* *9* *✓*

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : MR. MOHR

DATE: March 7, 1962

FROM : N. P. CALLAHAN

SUBJECT:

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Last night [redacted] telephonically contacted the writer and stated the Chairman had requested him to contact the Bureau to see if we could arrange to have a security survey of obvious places for any concealed listening devices in Rooms P-1 and P-2 of the Capitol Building on Thursday morning, March 8th...

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These rooms are the Chairman's private office and a semi-conference room which also serves as the office of [redacted] which adjoins the Chairman's Office. [redacted] indicated that access could be had to this area at 8:00 A. M. on Thursday morning and he would notify the writer the identity of the staff employee who would be there to admit the Bureau representatives during this assignment if it were possible to arrange same.

I checked with Mr. Conrad of the Laboratory who informed the writer it would not conflict with any prior commitments of the electronics staff of the Laboratory to make this survey on Thursday. We have conducted these surveys in the past and subject to approval, the Laboratory will tentatively schedule this assignment.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that Sprankle be informed that the Bureau will accede to the Chairman's request for this security survey and ascertain from him as the same time which of his staff will be available to admit the Bureau representatives on the morning of Thursday, March 8th.

1 - Mr. Conrad (sent direct)

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Check made
8:00 pm 3/8/62
by JMM, WGS & RAM
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The Attorney General

March 19, 1962

Director, FBI

1 - Mr. Belmont

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SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

Federal Bureau of Investigation personnel completed a security check of your office and residence telephone lines on March 16, 1962. Inspection was made at line access points outside of the office, residence and telephone company exchanges. No evidence of tampering was observed.

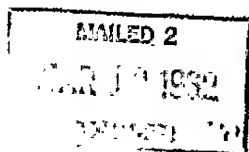
As subsequent checks of your lines are made, you will be advised.

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NOTE: See memorandum Millen to Conrad dated 3-16-62, captioned "TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, ATTORNEY GENERAL," WGS:cf. Memorandum classified ~~Confidential~~ because of the nature of the work.

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: March 16, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF THE
EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

Electronics Section employees have completed a security check of the telephone lines serving the residences of the Director and members of the Executives Conference. The check included inspection of lines at all places where access is possible except within residences and within telephone company controlled areas. No evidence of tampering was observed.

ACTION:

For information.

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1 - Mr. Belmont

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: March 16, 1962

FROM : R. L. Miller

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
ATTORNEY GENERAL

On March 16, 1962, a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy was completed by Electronics Section personnel. This check was limited to line access points outside the office, residence and telephone company exchanges. No evidence of tampering was observed.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising the Attorney General is attached.

Enclosure
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1 - Mr. Belmont

1 - [redacted]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: March 16, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK FOR
SENATOR JOHN L. MC CLELLAN

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On March 16, 1962, Electronics Section personnel completed a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Senator John L. McClellan in accordance with a previously approved program of periodic checks for the Senator. This check was limited to line access points outside the office, residence and telephone company controlled areas. No evidence of tampering was observed.

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[] should advise the Senator as in the past.

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1 - Mr. Belmont

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

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FROM: SAC, WFO (66-)

REQUESTED CHECK FOR TECHNICAL INSTALLATIONS,
OFFICE OF UNITED STATES ATTORNEY
WASHINGTON, D. C.*Telephone Security Checks*
ReWFOairtel to Bureau 6/4/62.

On 6/5 and 6/62, a security check of the offices and telephone facilities of USA DAVID C. ACHESON, Principal Assistant CHARLES T. DUNCAN, and AUSA HAROLD SULLIVAN for microphone installations and/or technical coverage of telephone lines was conducted by WFO personnel. This security check resulted negatively. Mr. ACHESON has been advised of the results and expressed his sincere appreciation for Bureau's assistance in this matter.

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1 - WFO
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6/11/62Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

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The Attorney General

June 8, 1962

Director, FBI

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

On June 8, 1962, personnel of the Federal Bureau of Investigation completed a security check of your office and residence telephone lines. This check included an inspection of the telephone instruments, the facilities within the telephone company offices and all other points where access could be had to the lines. No indication of any tampering with the lines was observed.

I shall continue to advise you of the results of any checks made in the future.

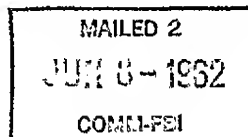
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1 - Mr. Belmont
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NOTE: See memorandum R. L. Millen to Mr. Conrad dated 6-8-62, captioned "TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, ATTORNEY GENERAL," JMM:cf. Memorandum classified ~~Confidential~~ because of the nature of the work.

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GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

June 4, 1962

We have been conducting at the request of the Criminal Division an investigation limited to the possibility of Bribery and Subornation of Perjury only, growing out of the "bugging" of a room in the Mayflower Hotel occupied by an attorney for the El Paso Natural Gas Company.

Attached request appears to be based upon suspicion that there may be microphone installations or telephone taps in the office of the U. S. Attorney or two of his assistants.

It is recommended that we comply with the request of the U. S. Attorney's Office in this regard.

ad *OK. K.* *✓*

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FBI

Date: 6/4/62

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| Miss Gandy | ✓ |

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

JUNE

FROM: SAC, WFO

REQUESTED-CHECK FOR TECHNICAL INSTALLATIONS,
OFFICE OF UNITED STATES ATTORNEY,
WASHINGTON, D. C.Security Surv-12

* On 6/4/62 Principal Assistant U. S. Attorney CHARLES T. DUNCAN personally appeared at my office. He advised that he and U. S. Attorney DAVID ACHESON are concerned over possible leaks in the U. S. Attorney's office in connection with the Mayflower "Bugging" case. Mr. DUNCAN advised that AUSA HAROLD SULLIVAN is handling the Mayflower "Bugging" case in the U. S. Attorney's office, and he is of the opinion that information concerning this case is leaking from the U. S. Attorney's office. Mr. DUNCAN could give me no specific instances of information leaks except as follows:

He stated in view of SULLIVAN's suspicions he, SULLIVAN, had passed out erroneous information in an effort to determine if it would come back to him through outside sources. He stated that at 4:00 p.m., 5/17/62, SULLIVAN was talking to a close friend whose identity is not known to DUNCAN but who is described as being a member in a class at American University which Mr. SULLIVAN teaches. During this conversation between SULLIVAN and the student, SULLIVAN purposely passed out information which was of no consequence concerning the case and specifically commented, "If you ever hear the name of MARY ANN BLOUGH, please let me know." This name was fictitious. At 11:00 p.m., 5/17/62, according to Mr. DUNCAN, SULLIVAN received a phone call from the girl friend of one of the defendants who has been furnishing information on a confidential basis to

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Special Agent in Charge

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SULLIVAN. This girl reportedly advised SULLIVAN that she had overheard the defendant on the telephone that day and heard him say something to the effect "BLOUGH - BLOUGH, the only BLOUGH I know is ROGER BLOUGH of U. S. STEEL." In view of this incident, SULLIVAN is suspicious that in some manner information is leaking from the U. S. Attorney's office.

Mr. DUNCAN stated that he has been planning to make a request through the Department of Justice asking that the Department request the FBI to conduct a search of three specific offices at the U. S. Attorney's office for the purpose of determining whether or not a microphone installation and/or technical coverage of the telephone lines to these three offices might be in effect. The three offices involved are the offices of U. S. Attorney DAVID ACHESON, the office of Principal Assistant CHARLES T. DUNCAN and the office of AUSA HAROLD SULLIVAN. DUNCAN stated that ordinarily requests of this kind are handled by the General Accounting Office. He stated he has been in touch with the General Accounting Office and they declined to make this check as the FBI is presently conducting an investigation in connection with certain ramifications of the Mayflower "Bugging" matter. It is noted that this office is conducting an investigation as an outgrowth of the Mayflower "Bugging" matter concerning alleged bribery and intimidation of witness in case captioned "ALLEGED BRIBERY AND INTIMIDATION OF WITNESS REGARDING 'WIRE TAP,' ROOM 633, MAYFLOWER HOTEL, WASHINGTON, D. C., 4/4/62 - INFORMATION CONCERNING," Bufile 63-7612, WFO 62-8544.

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Mr. DUNCAN pointed out that the U. S. Attorney's office has absolutely no definite information indicating that any technical coverage is in effect in their office and that they have received no indication that information obtained or directly connected with our specific investigation is involved. It is my frank opinion from talking to Mr. DUNCAN that any leaks in the U. S. Attorney's office are probably caused by AUSA SULLIVAN and/or others in his office talking with certain individuals whom they feel are reliable sources in connection with the grand jury and police department investigation of the actual "bugging" incident. However, in view of the specific request made by Mr. DUNCAN, which he had intended to make directly to the Department, it is requested that the Bureau authorize experienced technicians from the FBI Laboratory to make a check of the three offices mentioned, or authorize me to have this check made by experienced personnel of the Washington Field Office.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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MemorandumTO : Mr. Rosen *RM*

DATE: June 5, 1962

FROM : A. J. McGrath *ajm*SUBJECT: REQUESTED CHECK FOR TECHNICAL INSTALLATIONS
OFFICE OF UNITED STATES ATTORNEY
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Security Surveys

WFO has been instructed to go ahead with an immediate check of the office of U. S. Attorney David Acheson and the offices of two of his assistants, Charles T. Duncan and Harold Sullivan, for the purpose of determining whether there are any microphone installations and/or technical coverage of the telephone lines of these three offices.

It is noted that on his contact with SAC Marlin Johnson of the Washington Field Office on 6/4/62, Assistant U. S. Attorney Duncan stated that he would ordinarily direct a request of this type to the General Accounting Office; however, they had not been desirous of handling instant matter. SAC Johnson advised that Duncan had specifically stated "General Accounting Office" twice during their conversation; however, he inquired of Duncan on this point again today. Duncan has now advised that he misstated himself in this regard and that he meant to say General Services Administration, which agency he understands will search office space which it administers looking for such items as microphones.

This is for your information.

1 - Mr. Conrad

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad *JC*

DATE: June 8, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: ~~TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK~~
FOR SENATOR JOHN L. MC CLELLAN

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On June 8, 1962, Electronics Section personnel completed a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Senator McClellan in accordance with a previously approved program of periodic checks for him. This check included an inspection of the lines, not only at the location of the instruments, but at the telephone company offices and all points where access could be had to the lines. No evidence of tampering was discovered.

ACTION:

Assistant Director Evans should advise Senator McClellan of the completion of this check as in the past.

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Security of Telephone Services

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: June 8, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM3*

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
ATTORNEY GENERAL

On June 8, 1962, Electronics Section personnel completed a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy in accordance with a previously approved program of periodic checks for the Attorney General. This check included an inspection of the telephone instruments themselves, the facilities inside the telephone company offices and all outside points where access could be had to the lines. No evidence of tampering was observed.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising the Attorney General is attached. ✓

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Enclosure *note 6-8-62*

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF THE
EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

DATE: June 15, 1962

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In accordance with a previously approved continuing program, security checks of the residence telephone lines of the Director and of members of the Executives Conference have been completed by Electronics Section personnel. Inspection of the instruments and of the lines in the telephone exchanges and at outside locations revealed no evidence of tampering.

ACTION: None. For information.

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1 - Mr. Belmont

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The Attorney General

September 6, 1962

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Director, FBI

1 - Mr. Belmont

1 - Mr. Evans

SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

In keeping with your request, a security check was made of your office telephone lines within the Justice Building by personnel of the Federal Bureau of Investigation on September 5, 1962. This was done as a security precaution in view of the considerable activity on the part of telephone company employees in connection with a television program which originated in your office last week.

No indication of tampering was observed on any of these lines as a result of the check.

You will be advised of any subsequent checks made in the future.

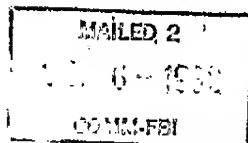
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TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: September 4, 1962

FROM : C. A. Evans

SUBJECT: SECURITY OF THE ATTORNEY
GENERAL'S TELEPHONES

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advised that there was considerable activity on the part of telephone company employees in the Attorney General's Office last week. This related to arrangements for a television program which originated in the Attorney General's Office. All of the extra telephone equipment brought into the Attorney General's Office for this purpose has now been removed. Under the circumstances, [redacted] stated the Attorney General would appreciate our Laboratory experts rechecking the telephone equipment in his office to insure that all is still secure.

ACTION TO BE TAKEN:

The Laboratory will, if the Director approves, check the telephone service in the Attorney General's Office in line with the request we have received.

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: September 5, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen *RM*SUBJECT: SECURITY OF ATTORNEY GENERAL'S
TELEPHONES

Mr. Evans' memorandum to Mr. Belmont dated September 4, 1962, stated that the Laboratory would conduct a security check of the Attorney General's office telephone lines if the Director approved. Director approved.

Security Survey
 Laboratory personnel on September 5, 1962, in accordance with arrangements made with Miss Angela Novello, the Attorney General's Private Secretary, checked all the Attorney General's telephone lines within the Justice Building. No evidence of tampering was found.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising the Attorney General is attached.

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1 - Mr. Belmont

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The Attorney General

September 14, 1962

Director, FBI

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SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

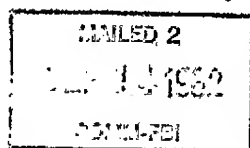
Federal Bureau of Investigation personnel completed a security check of your office and residence telephone lines on September 13, 1962. Inspection was made at line access points outside of the office, residence and telephone company exchanges. No evidence of tampering was observed.

As subsequent checks of your lines are made, you will be advised.

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NOTE: See memorandum Millen to Conrad dated 9-13-62, captioned "TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, ATTORNEY GENERAL," WGS:cf. Memorandum classified ~~Confidential~~ because of the nature of the work.

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: September 13, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECKS
ATTORNEY GENERAL

In keeping with a previously approved program of periodic surveys, on September 13, 1962, a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy was completed by Electronics Section personnel. This check was limited to line access points outside the office, residence and telephone company exchanges. No evidence of tampering was observed.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising the Attorney General is attached.

Enclosure *sent 9-14-62*

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: September 13, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen

Security of Telephones

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF THE
EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

In accordance with a previously approved continuing program, Electronics Section employees have completed a security check of the telephone lines serving the residences of the Director and members of the Executives Conference. The check included inspection of lines at all places where access is possible except within residences and within telephone company controlled areas. No evidence of tampering was observed.

ACTION:

For information.

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TO : Mr. Conrad *JC*

DATE: September 13, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK FOR
SENATOR JOHN L. MC CLELLAN

On September 13, 1962, Electronics Section personnel completed a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Senator John L. McClellan in accordance with a previously approved program of periodic checks for the Senator. This check was limited to line access points outside the office, residence and telephone company controlled areas. No evidence of tampering was observed.

ACTION:

should advise the Senator as in the past.

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TO : Mr. Tavel *ST*

DATE: 9/21/62

FROM: *J. E. Wherry, Jr.*

SUBJECT: SECURE COMMUNICATION LINE LINKING
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- 1 - Mr. Mohr, Sent Direct
- 1 - Mr. Conrad, Attention Mr. Downing, Sent Direct
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan, Attention Mr. Brennan, Sent Direct

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: October 19, 1962

FROM : C. A. Evans

SUBJECT: SPECIAL SECURITY TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT
IN THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

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The Attorney General asked me to stop by his office this afternoon. He said that he had had installed earlier this week in his office a special telephone line which connects him with the President, Secretary of State, Defense, and other high-ranking Governmental officials, which is available for the discussion of security-type matters which cannot be discussed on the ordinary telephone.

The special equipment provides a scrambled transmission which is encoded at the point of origin and decoded at the receiving end by means of special equipment. In order to actuate the equipment, a special coded card must be inserted in the equipment. These coded cards are changed each day at the same time on a world-wide basis. The cards are changed in the Washington area at 8:00 p.m. daily. The change must be made by a person having Top Secret clearance.

The mechanics of handling this matter are essentially very simple. There is a combination lock on the equipment. The door to the equipment is opened by means of this combination. There is a receptacle immediately inside the door which contains a pad of the cards, approximately 3" X 8". These cards are similar in appearance to the ordinary IBM card. The old card is removed and a new card inserted. The person handling this initials the log to show that the new card was inserted and the old card destroyed by burning.

TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT

The Attorney General said he knew that the Bureau had Special Agents on duty in the Justice Building 24 hours a day. He said he would like to have the Agent who is on duty during the evening hours handle the changing of the cards in this special telephone equipment. It was pointed out to the Attorney General that a similar question had previously been

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- 1 - Mr. Rosen

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SECURITY OF TELEPHONE SERVICES

Memo to Mr. Belmont

raised with the Bureau by the Department with regard to the maintenance of this equipment, and we had told the Department the only person we had who was qualified to maintain such equipment was not located in Washington but was assigned to our facilities at Quantico, where our only security telephone of this type is located. The Attorney General said this was not a question of maintenance but rather just keeping the coded card up-to-date.

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It was then suggested that perhaps the Attorney General could have people in his own office do this. He replied by indicating that the work was now being handled by his Executive Assistant, [redacted] but that he had to send [redacted] out of town a great deal. He also stated that he thought this was a particularly sensitive assignment and he would be much more secure in his own mind if it could be handled by the FBI.

It was then pointed out to the Attorney General that security reasons would obviously preclude any widespread knowledge of the special equipment he had and its combination; that we rotated the assignment of our Special Agents on weekend duty and this would mean that a different Agent would be in charge every Saturday and Sunday. The Attorney General said he would handle the matter himself on the weekend but he would still appreciate our handling it during the week.

He again noted that this is a sensitive assignment and that international conditions are tense, and he knew he would not have to worry if the job could be done by the FBI.

ACTION TO BE TAKEN:

It would seem that the Attorney General should be able to get some trustworthy person in the Department to do this job. The mere fact that it has not been done during the evening hours should not make any difference. Nevertheless, he keeps coming back to the thought that the FBI is better qualified. If it is desired that we assist the Attorney General, it would be possible to have one of our regularly-assigned people either in our own code room or an Agent Supervisor regularly assigned to the 4:00 p. m. to midnight shift handle the assignment. It is noted that it would take only a few minutes time each night to do this.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: October 24, 1962

FROM :

SUBJECT:

~~SPECIAL SECURITY TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT~~
~~IN THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL~~

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In connection with the special telephone equipment which the Attorney General has had installed, this is to advise that SA Judson Hodges, who is regularly assigned on the 4:00 to midnight shift in the Special Investigative Division, will handle the changes of code cards in this equipment when required. This will only be on those occasions when the Attorney General's Executive and Administrative Assistants are both out of the office.

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The Attorney General

December 14, 1962

Director, FBI

1 - Mr. Belmont

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SECURITY OF TELEPHONE LINES

Federal Bureau of Investigation personnel completed a security check of your office and residence telephone lines on December 13, 1962. Inspection was made at the Telephone Company exchanges and access points outside the office and residence. No evidence of tampering was observed.

As subsequent checks of your lines are made, you will be advised.

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NOTE: See memorandum R. L. Millen to Mr. Conrad dated 12/13/62 captioned "TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK, ATTORNEY GENERAL," WGS:bwd. Memorandum classified "~~Confidential~~" because of the nature of the work.

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: December 13, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen

SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
 DIRECTOR AND MEMBERS OF THE
 EXECUTIVES CONFERENCE

In accordance with a previously approved continuing program, Electronics Section employees have completed a security check of the telephone lines serving the residences of the Director and members of the Executives Conference. The check included inspection of lines within the Telephone Company-controlled areas and access points outside the residences. No evidence of tampering was observed.

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For information.

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1 - Mr. Belmont

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TO : Mr. Conrad *JC*

DATE: December 13, 1962

FROM : R. L. Millen *RLM*SUBJECT: TELEPHONE SECURITY CHECK
ATTORNEY GENERAL

In keeping with a previously approved program of periodic surveys, on December 13, 1962, a security check of the office and residence telephone lines of Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy was completed by Electronics Section personnel. This check was limited to the Telephone Company exchanges and access points outside the office and residence. No evidence of tampering was observed.

RECOMMENDATION:

A letter advising the Attorney General is attached.

Enclosure *sent 12-14-62*

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